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MILLERSBURG.

Prof. C. C. Fisher has been very ill for past week, but is some improved.

Miss Lucile Judy is quite ill at Indianapolis, Ind., from vaccination.

Victor Shipp and wife, of Paris, visited their son at M. M. I. College, Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Cobb, of Williamstown, is guest of her sister, Mrs. C. D. Tackett.

Miss Lillian Butler, of Nicholasville, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Mattie Hawes.

Mrs. Mattie Purnell, of Fulton, Mo., is guest of brother, T. M. Purnell and family.

Mr. J. G. Allen went to Georgetown Monday, to visit his daughter at the College.

Don't forget to step in and see T. D. Judy and Son at their new grocery, Phone 133.

Mr. Felding Hurst has moved to Connel Bros' cottage, on East Main, near M. M. I. College.

Mr. Tom Endicott, of Ruddells Mills precinct, was guest of his cousin, Roy Endicott Smedley.

Miss Katie Savage returned Saturday from a week's visit to Cincinnati with Bro. Dr. W. E. Savage.

Miss Nellie Bowden and Octavia Cassidy, of Flemingsburg, are guests of Mrs. C. W. Howard.

Miss Helen Beasley, of Sanford, was guest of Misses Mary and Anna Boulden Friday and Saturday.

L. R. Myers has added a stock of groceries to his meat market. Call and get your family supplies.

Don't fail to have your laundry ready for J. Will Clarke. Called for on Wednesday, returned on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hurst, of Elizaville, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Beeding, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Judge Harbison and Mrs. Ed. Andrews, of Flemingsburg, were guests of Misses Fleming, Friday night.

Mrs. S. M. Allen and two children, arrived home Monday from month's visit at Stanford with her parents.

Mr. Aylett Vansant, Henry Demorant and Editor Dooly, of Flemingsburg, were guests of friends here Friday.

Arthur Best returned Friday from St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, where he received treatment for his hearing.

Mrs. Dr. N. H. McKinney, of Carlisle, was guest of parents, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. O. R. Rankin, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. T. P. Wadell was presented with a \$30 check by Mr. Henry Wheeler, of the Manhattan Poultry Co., of New York.

Miss Artie May Button, of North Middletown College, was guest of Elder G. W. Nutter and family from Friday to Sunday.

Fine line cut glass and china at C. W. Howard's to be sold at cost for cash. Come in and see and make your selections. Bargains in all lines.

Ed. Humphrey, Breeze Thompson, Jno. Fennell, Stanley Talbott, Will Musselman and Miss Edith Collier, of Cynthiana, attended the contest Friday night.

About forty ladies and gentlemen stormed Mr. S. M. Allen Saturday night in the absence of his wife, and enjoyed themselves at dancing, cards, games and socially, and also a handsome treat of fruit.

Remember T. D. Judy & Son are still agents for the Old Reliable Lexington Steam Laundry. Glad to have old customers and as many new ones. Leave bundles at our store or we will call for them. Will send basket every Wednesday. Phone 133.

Mr. Will Cain and Mr. Connelly, of Carlisle, came near being drowned at Geo. Stoker's pond, at end of Tarr pike, Wednesday night. They were pulled out by a colored man, and the horse was pulled out of mud next morning with pair of mules by Mr. Stoker. Bourbon and Nicholas should combine and build a bridge.

The musical contest Friday night was quite a success, and the Opera House was filled with the best people of the 'Burg and neighboring towns, and much credit is due Mrs. Smith Clark and Miss Ella Fleming for their work in getting up such a treat for the citizens of the community. There were eight contestants in the solo, which was won by Miss Carrie Fitzwater, of Cynthiana, \$10 in gold. The Flemingsburg quartette, Messrs. Robt. Harbison, Robt. Weeden, Clyde Garr and T. Paul Andrews, won the \$20 in gold. Miss Julia Carpenter recited several pieces, which were much enjoyed.

CLOVER SEED.—For choice clover seed go to Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite the freight depot. tf

SILVER PLATING.—Mr. G. Creutz, of the Creutz Plating Co., will be at A. J. Winters & Co's, on Monday, February 23rd, to give any one desiring estimates on replating and renovating old silverware and brass goods, brass beds and tables, etc., makes no difference how badly damaged they are we can make them look like new. Phone 170 and we will call and see you if you have any of this work.

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THE BANKRUPTCY LAW

President Roosevelt Signs the Bill Amending It.

The Measure Modifies the Existing Law in Several Important Particulars—Debts to Wife and Children Included in List.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The president late Thursday afternoon signed the bill which amends the bankruptcy law of 1898. The bill modifies the existing law in several important particulars, the principal one of which is a provision in regard to preferred creditors. Under the existing law those who had received payments from a person who had soon afterward been declared bankrupt could not have other claims passed upon without surrendering the amount received. This provision was modified so as to allow the creditor to retain the money received unless the previous payment was fraudulent. The change is in conformity with a decision of the supreme court.

Another amendment provides for new objections to a discharge intended to prevent persons from going through bankruptcy, the most important of which are the giving of a false mercantile statement and the making of a fraudulent transfer of property. The bill also provides that it shall be an objection to a discharge if a voluntary bankrupt seeks to go through bankruptcy more than once in the six years.

Another amendment provides that the appointment of a receiver for a corporation which is insolvent is an act of bankruptcy, entitling the creditors to choose their own trustees. Another important change which gives the federal courts concurrent jurisdiction of suits to recover property which has been fraudulently transferred. Other amendments allow the wives of bankrupts to testify in the proceedings, provides for an increase of fees for referees and trustees to an average of about 50 per cent. over the fees allowed by the present law and prohibits the courts from allowing greater fees than the law permits in any case, and add to the latest of debts from which a bankrupt can not be relieved by a discharge from bankruptcy, the new law includes debts to wife and children and alimony. The list of corporations which may go into bankruptcy is increased by adding mining corporations.

POSTAL AFFAIRS.

Important Provision in the Post Office Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The post office appropriation bill passed Thursday by the house contains an important provision that has not attracted much attention. It provides that hereafter post offices shall accept for transmission in the mails quantities of not less than 2,000 identical pieces of third or fourth class matter without postage stamps affixed, provided that the postage is fully prepaid. This action was recommended strongly by Third Assistant Postmaster General Madden in the interest of economy to the government and to the business public. Under its provisions as urged by the department, this proposed legislation will save the expense of manufacturing stamps, the sale of them to the public and the subsequent labor of cancelling the stamps on the individual pieces in the post offices, after they are mailed. It will also save the public the work of attaching postage stamps to the individual pieces of mail.

ADDICKS WITHDRAWS.

Declines to Be a Candidate For United States Senator.

Dover, Del., Feb. 6.—J. Edward Addicks, in a note to the republican caucus of the Delaware general assembly, Thursday withdrew as a candidate for United States senator. This ends the most remarkable political fight in the history of this country, a fight which deadlocked three sessions of the legislature since 1895, and split the republican party in this state into two factions.

Life Pension For a Woman.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Walter Reed, wife of deceased Army Surgeon Reed, who discovered that mosquitoes conveyed yellow fever germs and rid Havana and Ponce of the dreaded disease, was Thursday informed in a telegram from Senator Martin of the passage by the senate of a bill allowing her \$125 a month pension for the rest of her life.

A Treasury Ruling.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Secretary Shaw, replying to an inquiry from the sub-treasury at New York, has decided that gold certificates of the \$10,000 denomination may be issued to individuals and institutions on demand, as well as to national banks upon the deposit of gold coin.

Hall of Tara Sold.

Dublin, Feb. 6.—The historic hall of Tara was sold at auction Thursday and realized the sum of \$18,500. The purchaser was a lady whose name was not announced. Until the sixth century Tara was the chief seat of the Irish king.

Proposed Benefit to A. M. Palmer. New York, Feb. 6.—At the meeting of the Actors' Fund of America, held Thursday, it was decided that the proposed benefit to A. M. Palmer shall take place early in May at the Metropolitan opera house.

THE NEW DEPARTMENT.

Conferees on the Commerce Bill Approaching Agreement.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The conferees of the senate and house on the department of commerce bill approached an agreement on the bill Friday, but adjourned, to meet Saturday, without entirely finishing their work. They were in session about three hours, the greater part of the time being spent in an effort to adjust the differences on the question as to whether the president should be given power to transfer the interstate commerce commission to the proposed department, as provided by the house bill. Considerable feeling was manifested over the matter, and the controversy became so animated at times that the voices of the conferees could be plainly heard in the adjoining corridors. When the meeting began the trust provision of the bill was taken up immediately. No time was lost in reaching an agreement on that point. The differences were adjusted by the acceptance of the Nelson amendment with a portion of the house provision added. The conferees then sought to come to an understanding on the question of transferring the interstate commerce commission to the new department. At first there appeared a strong probability of coming to an immediate understanding on this point, as the house conferees consented without making any objections to the elimination of the specific mention of the commission. The bill as passed by the house authorizes the president to transfer to the proposed department "the whole or any part of any office, bureau, division or other branch of the public service engaged in statistical or scientific work, or the interstate commerce commission."

The senate conferees moved to strike out the words referring to the commission, and after some objections, the representatives of the house assented. It was then suggested that the transfer of the commission might be accomplished under the general authority given to transfer bureaus engaged in statistical work, as the business of the interstate commission is largely of that character, and an effort was made to amend the language of the provision as to prevent and even prohibit that result. It was at this point that the meeting came to a close.

PRINCESS LOUISE.

M. Giron Has Broken Off All Relations With Her.

Geneva, Feb. 7.—The legal advisor of the former crown princess of Saxony has made the following announcement:

"M. Giron will leave Geneva this evening for Brussels, where he will join his family. M. Giron has broken off all relations with the princess in order not to impede the reunion of the princess with her children."

The sudden end of the royal romance is said to be due to the refusal of the Saxon court, influenced by the emperor, Francis Joseph, to consent to a divorce. It is reported that the princess sought her father's pardon in order to get permission to see her children, but was refused everything unless she left M. Giron. The parting of the princess with M. Giron is said to have been affecting.

A SHOOTING AFFRAY.

City Marshal and His Son Were Severely Wounded.

Carbondale, Ill., Feb. 7.—Silas Farmer, city marshal of DeSoto, Ill., and his son, Lawrence, 23 years old, are severely wounded as the result of a shooting affray on the streets. Lawrence's father placed him in jail a week ago and Thursday paid the fine and released his son.

After being out a short time the youth secured a revolver and announced that he intended to kill his father. The two met in the evening and the son at once opened fire, inflicting three wounds. The marshal then drew his revolver and shot his son twice, inflicting wounds which may prove fatal. Both men are married.

IN THE TERRES MOUNTAINS.

Tremendous Gold Strike at the Terminus of the Nacozari Railway.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 7.—Edward B. Sturgess, a prospector from Mexico, near Douglas, Ariz., reports a tremendous gold strike in the Terres mountains, about 40 miles from Cos. terminus of the Nacozari railroad. Sturgess says he mined \$150,000 in gold in six weeks with a crude outfit. Samples of ore are said to run as high as 3,600 ounces of gold to the ton, with a value of about \$72,000.

Tied For First Place.

New York, Feb. 7.—Henry P. Stofft, of Cleveland, and Charles Weston, of Chicago, are tied for first place in the professional sweepstakes pool tournament which began four weeks ago at the Montauk billiard academy, Brooklyn.

A Week's Failures.

New York, Feb. 7.—Failures in the United States 264 this week, against 263 last week, 265 the preceding week, and 261 the corresponding week last year, and in Canada 32, against 30 last week, 27 the preceding week and 25 last year.

Evading Duties.

Berlin, Feb. 7.—Herr Roesicke, a German, complained in the reichstag Friday that Canadian wheat continued to come to Germany as American wheat, thus paying a duty of 87½ cents on 200 pounds, instead of \$1.75.

A HUGE TIDAL WAVE.

Over 1,000 Lives Were Lost in the Society Islands.

The Islanders Who Survive Are Destitute of Food, Shelter and Clothing—All Their Crops, Etc., Were Destroyed.

San Francisco, Feb. 9.—More than 1,000 persons were killed and 80 islands of the Society group in the Southern sea were devastated on January 15 by a huge tidal wave that swept across the island dotted sea. News of the disaster was brought Sunday on the steamer Mariposa, direct from Tahiti.

The storm raged for several days, being most severe from January 14 to 16. On January 15 a tidal wave, accompanied by a terrific hurricane, attacked the Society islands and the Tuamotu group with fearful force, carrying death and devastation for miles before its towering front.

As the news received at Tahiti up to the time of the sailing of the Mariposa was meager, it is thought that full returns may swell the death list. It is possible that hundreds of bodies were washed out to sea so that they may never be accounted for. The islanders who survive are destitute of food, shelter and clothing. Crops have been destroyed and death threatens the survivors.

The first news of the disaster arrived at Papete, Tahiti, on January 26, by the schooner Elmeo. The captain of the schooner reported the fatalities at 500 persons. The steamer Excelsior arrived at Papete the following day with 400 destitute survivors. The captain of the Excelsior estimated the total loss of life at 800 persons. These figures comprised only the deaths on the three islands of Hao, Hikueru and Makokau, whose total population is only 1,800. On Hikueru island, where 1,000 inhabitants were engaged in pearl diving, nearly one-half were drowned. On an adjacent island 100 more were washed out to sea.

Makono and Hao are depopulated. Conservative estimates at Tahiti place the number of islands visited by the tidal wave and hurricane at 80. All of them are under control of the French government at Tahiti.

The French governor upon receipt of news of the disaster took prompt measures to relieve the starving survivors. The governor dispatched two warships, the Duranee and Zelee, with fresh water and provisions. The Italian man-of-war, Calabria, accompanied the two French vessels on their errand of mercy. As the supply of fresh water and provisions was exhausted by the storm it is feared that many lives will be lost before the relief ships arrive. As far as is known eight white people were among the drowned. Included in these were Alexander Brandner, N. P. Plunkett, of Oakland, Cal.; T. D. Donnelly, formerly a fireman on the steamship Australia, and the local agent of C. Coppenrath, a merchant of Papete. Added to this number was a woman, who committed suicide from fright.

MURDERED IN HIS OFFICE.

A Dealer in Old Iron Found With His Skull Crushed.

New York, Feb. 9.—Louis Mandel, a dealer in old iron, was murdered Sunday in his office in East Twenty-third street, his skull being crushed by blows struck with a heavy iron bar. He was found in an unconscious condition and died in the hospital. Robbery evidently was the motive for the crime, as the desk at which Mandel was sitting when he was attacked was rifled and his gold watch and chain and diamond pin were taken. The murderer overlooked a large sum of money which Mandel had in an inner pocket.

Policemen's Fatal Quarrel.

Bristol, Tenn., Feb. 9.—Policeman Gratt Walk shot and instantly killed Policeman Houston Childress Sunday morning at the corner of State and Fourth streets. The shooting resulted from a quarrel. Walk escaped. He was traced to his room, where he had exchanged his uniform for citizens' clothes.

Rr. Adm. Wildes Dead.

San Francisco, Feb. 9.—Rr. Adm. Frank Wildes, of the United States navy, died suddenly on board the steamer China. He was on his way home from China on sick leave when death overtook him. Adm. Wildes had recently been in charge of the fleet in the Philippines.

Rr. Adm. Crowninshield at Naples.

Naples, Feb. 9.—Rr. Adm. Crowninshield, aboard his flagship, the cruiser Chicago, arrived here Sunday from Algiers. He will proceed to Alexandria and return here later. It is reported that he will be back here for the gathering of the Italian and Russian fleets on the occasion of the czar's coming visit.

Cleveland's Fishing Trip.

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 9.—Former President Grover Cleveland, accompanied by Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, of New York, arrived here Sunday evening. They are on the way to Stewart, where they will spend two weeks fishing.

Displacing Colored Brakemen.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 9.—A change has been made on the Choctaw lines through Oklahoma and Indian territory. White men are taking the places of the colored brakemen, who have been employed on all passenger trains.

IN FAVOR OF MINERS.

The Joint Committee Agreed Upon a Scale of Wages.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 9.—The miners and operators of the competitive district agreed upon a scale of wages for the ensuing year. The price for mining is to be increased 10 cents per ton on one and one-quarter inch screened lump coal, pick mining, in Western Pennsylvania. The Hocking, the basing district of Ohio, and both the block and bituminous districts of Indiana; six cents per ton on mine-run coal, pick mining, in the bituminous district of Indiana and at Danville, the basing point of Illinois.

The price of machine mining is to be increased eight cents per ton on screened lump coal in Western Pennsylvania, thin vein, and the Hocking, the basing district of Ohio; ten cents per ton on screened lump coal in the block and bituminous districts of Indiana, and six cents per ton on mine-run coal in the bituminous district of Indiana, and at Danville, the basing point of Illinois. The inside day wage scale shall be as follows, with the conditions of the Columbus day wage scale agreement of 1898.

Track layers, \$2.56; track layers' helpers, \$2.36; trappers, \$1.13; bottom cagers, \$2.56; drivers, \$2.56; trip riders, \$2.56; water haulers and machine haulers, \$2.56; timbermen (where such are employed), \$2.56; pipe men for compressed air plants, \$2.50; company men in long-wall mines of Third district of Illinois, \$2.56; all other inside labor, \$2.36. Yardage and dead work are to be advanced 12½ per cent. In addition to the above, the operators verbally agreed that outside day labor be increased 12½ per cent. in Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, and that in the Pittsburgh district there shall be an increase of 12½ per cent. except where prices have been advanced during the present year.

In those cases sufficient increase shall be granted to bring the amount up to 12½ per cent. increase and where more than 12½ per cent. was secured the wages shall not be reduced. In the mines of the Monongahela company the advance shall be a straight one of 25 cents a day.

At the meeting of the scale committee the Indiana miners agreed to withdraw the shot-firing bill from the senate.

TWO EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.

Dishes Were Rattled and Doors Swung To and Fro.

St. Louis, Feb. 9.—Two distinct earthquake shocks were felt in St. Louis and vicinity between 6:20 and 6:25 o'clock Sunday night. The first shock was of almost 20 seconds' duration and while it was not so distinctly felt immediately in St. Louis, in the western suburban towns and in Alton, Belleville, Edwardsville and other nearby towns in Illinois, it was sufficiently forceful to rattle dishes and swing doors. The second shock followed within two minutes and was slight and of short duration. Both shocks were from northeast to southwest.

Marion, Ill., Feb. 9.—An earthquake shock was felt Sunday evening. Preceding the shock a roaring noise was heard. Many persons ran into the streets. At the West Side hotel flues were shaken down.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 9.—A slight earthquake shock occurred here about 6:45 o'clock Sunday night. No damage was done and the duration of the vibrations was very brief.

Cloverport, Ky., Feb. 9.—An earthquake shock startled a number of Cloverport's citizens about 6:30 o'clock Sunday night. No damage was done and many people of the town did not know the shock had occurred.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 9.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here at 6:45 Sunday night. Pictures were shaken from the walls and tables in the second story of many houses.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 9.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here at about 6:45 o'clock Sunday night. The vibrations caused windows to rattle, but no damage was done.

Paris, Feb. 9.—Slight earthquakes were felt on Saturday at midnight at Brest, St. Brieux and on the island of Molene.

DEATH OF MRS. CRANSTON.

The Wife of Bishop Cranston Passed Away in Mexico.

Denver, Col., Feb. 9.—News was received by Earl M. Cranston of the death at Silas, Mex., Sunday of Mrs. Laura M. Cranston, the wife of Bishop Earl Cranston, of the Methodist church. Mrs. Cranston accompanied the bishop to Mexico several weeks ago to attend a church conference. Bishop Cranston, his wife and daughter, were in Peking during the Boxer trouble and United States Minister Conger was a guest at the Cranston residence when the outbreak began. Mrs. Cranston's death is directly attributed to nervous shock occasioned by her being a witness to scenes following the outbreak. The body will be taken to Cincinnati for burial.

The Freight Embargo Lifted.

Baltimore, Feb. 9.—Officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad stated Sunday night that the freight embargo which had existed for several weeks has been lifted, and that there is no congestion of freight at any point on the line.

The Pretender Is a Prisoner.

Madrid, Feb. 9.—A dispatch from Tangier to the Imparcial confirms the news that the pretender, Bu Hamara, is a prisoner of the Riata branch of the Kabyle tribe, which is ready to deliver him up for a ransom.

ARE BUSILY ENGAGED.

Allies' Representatives Preparing Their Protocols.

British Protocol Provides For the Reference of the Contention For Preferential Treatment to The Hague For Settlement.

Washington, Feb. 7.—President Roosevelt has declined the invitation of the allied powers to arbitrate the question as to whether they shall receive preferential treatment in the settlement of their claims against Venezuela over the other creditor nations. He reached this decision shortly before 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, and instructed Secretary Hay to dispatch a note to the British embassy at once advising the British ambassador to that effect. The matter, therefore, now will be referred to the Hague tribunal. This will result in the immediate raising of the blockade.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The representatives of the allies here are busily engaged in the preparation of the protocol which they are to sign with Mr. Bowen, Venezuela's representative, for the reference to The Hague of the question whether the blockading powers shall be entitled to preferential treatment in the settlement of their claims. The blockade will be raised when the protocols are signed. They are in constant communication with their governments on this subject and are anxious as far as possible to cover every detail which should be comprised in an instrument of this character. Mr. Bowen also is anxious that the protocol shall be identical so far as this may be practicable and he is directing his efforts to that end and also that they shall be signed on the same day.

The British protocol provides for the reference of the contention of the allies for preferential treatment to The Hague for settlement for the payment by Venezuela to Great Britain five hundred thousand pounds cash and for the immediate raising of the blockade. The matter of the adjudication of the claims and the collection of the 30 per cent. out of which they are to be paid, has been left for the second protocol.

Italy, it has been learned, wishes to have inserted in her protocol an article providing for a change in her treaty or amity with Venezuela so as to include the "favored nation" clause, such as the other powers possess. Mr. Bowen has explained that while he is willing to use his influence to secure this, he can do nothing more in the protocol than recommend it, as the matter is entirely irrelevant to the present controversy. There are also other provisions in the Italian protocol, which do not meet the approval of Mr. Bowen, and the Italian ambassador has cabled to Rome for permission to withdraw them.

Regarding the German protocol little is known except that it is along the general lines of the other two.

GEN. URIBE-URIBE.

The Former Colombian Revolutionist Committed Suicide.

Kingston, Jamaica, Feb. 9.—The British steamer Para, which arrived here Sunday from Colon, brings the news of the suicide on January 30 of the former Colombian revolutionist general, Uribe Uribe. Gen. Uribe Uribe published a letter December 12 advising Colombia to await the lapsing of the Panama canal concession in 1904, which would leave the Colombian government a free hand in the matter of the canal.

The reports brought by the Para indicate the possibility of another revolution in opposition to the Panama canal treaty.

THE COAL CONDITIONS.

A Congressional Committee May Make An Investigation.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Representative Small, of North Carolina, introduced a concurrent resolution providing for the appointment by the speaker of a committee of 11 members of the house to inquire generally into the coal conditions in the United States. The resolution further directs the committee to "inquire whether any combinations exist between mine owners and operators and the transportation companies in violation of the laws of the United States. A report is to be made to the next congress.

Six Murders Within Ten Days.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 7.—Clairton, the new town on the Monongahela just above Pittsburg, Friday increased its record of murders to six within ten days. Friday afternoon when many people were in the main street, a white man shot and killed Charles Mack, a Negro, of Harrisville, Ky. The murderer fled to the hills and was not captured.

Mont Pelee Volcano Active.

Paris, Feb. 9.—The governor of the Island of Martinique, in a dispatch to the colonial office, announces that the Mont Pelee volcano continues active; that its summit is constantly changing shape and that masses of incandescent matter are thrown out.

Acre Territory Dispute.

Rio Janeiro, Feb. 9.—The Bolivian government has replied to the Brazilian government agreeing to Brazilian occupation and administration of the Acre territory pending settlement of the dispute.

An Important Discovery.
Grant, Okla., Feb. 9th.—After ten years E. H. Gosney of Grant has at last found a cure for Kidney Trouble. Mr. Gosney suffered very severely with Kidney Complaint and some ten years ago made up his mind to find a cure if one was to be had. He has tried and tried and experimented with every kidney medicine he could hear of. Although he was always disappointed as kept on trying till at last his perseverance was rewarded and he found a complete cure.

He is a well man to-day and explains it as follows:
"Everything failed to cure me and I was growing worse and worse till I tried a new remedy called Dodd's Kidney Pills and I had not taken many of them before I knew that I had at last found the right thing. I am entirely cured and I cannot say too much for Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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She Couldn't Understand.
"I can't see what makes that lemonade taste so funny," said the unsophisticated damsel.
"What did you tell him you wanted?" asked her escort.
"Why, I wanted to be up to date," she explained, "and I notice nobody asks for a straw by that name these days."

Uncle Reuben Says:
Hope am one o' de mile-stones on life's journey, but it ain't 'spected dat anybody will run it into de ground. Fur instance, de man who sits on de fence and hopes dat his ticket will draw de grand prize in a lottery, am gwine to be powerful shy on meat and 'taters arter dat drawin' comes off, and he won't find nobody to pity him.—Detroit Free Press.

A Reasonable Inference.
"I have been everywhere," said Diogenes, as he wearily set his lantern down, "and I haven't been able to find an honest man. What do you think of that?"
"It merely indicates," answered the plain, every-day citizen, "that you have an undesirable circle of acquaintances."—Washington Star.

Where the Difficulty Lay.
Boggs (facetiously)—Fourth daughter to be married, eh? I fancy you've had considerable difficulty in getting so large a number of girls off your hands.
Noggs (earnestly)—No, my dear Boggs, the difficulty is in keeping such a large number of husbands on their feet.—Town Topics.

Plagiarism.
A musical pirate was he—
A terrible criminal, arch,
But all he had done was to see
Was simply to steal a march.
—Columbia Jester.

THE JOY OF GIVING.



"She—Tom, dear, before I get you your birthday present I want you to tell me how much you can afford to pay for it."—N. Y. Times.

Harder to Fill.

He has six little mouths to feed—
Which fact to labor hurries him;
But it's another hungry mouth—
The furnace's—that worries him.
—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A Scaree Article.

Bunker—I see they are thinking of starting a club in opposition to the Authors' club. It's to be composed entirely of those who haven't written a book.

Hill—Umph. They'll have hard work to get any members.—N. Y. Herald.

The Widow's Advantage.

"Which would you rather be if you were 27 and could have your choice, a widow or just a girl?"
"Oh, a widow, by all means. A widow always has a big advantage. She can try an entirely different kind the next time."—Chicago Record-Herald.

George Was Slandered.

George Washington—The papers are saying that I never told a lie.
Mrs. George Washington—Oh, well, don't worry about it; all sorts of stories are circulated when a man is running for office.—N. Y. Times.

Getting Old.

"She used to say no girl should marry until she got an excellent proposal."
"And now?"
"Now she's dropped the 'excellent.'"
—Philadelphia Press.

Punishment to Fit.

To fit his thieving handihood,
His meanness small and rank,
The man who jumps his board bill should
Be made to walk the plank.
—Philadelphia Press.

A LIBERAL MINISTER.



Elsie—My, how tired I am! How much did mamma put in the plate?
Tommy—A quarter. Why?
Elsie—Where? What a lot the minister gives for a quarter.—Philadelphia Press.

And Neither Won.
Determined to outstay each other, the two young men remained until some time after midnight.
"Good gracious!" exclaimed one of them at last, looking at the clock.
"Did you know it was as late as that?"
"Why, no," replied the young woman. "Seems to be two after one doesn't it?"
Whereupon they turned red simultaneously and withdrew in like manner.—Chicago Tribune.

ONLY ONE WAY TO DO IT.



Mose—What did the colonel say when he found all his chickens stolen?
Rastus—He only done say dat he'd have to recoup his losses.
Mose—Golly! I don't see how he's going to do dat, unless he puts all de niggers dat ate 'em in a coop.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Naming the Baby.

They talked of Medora, Aurora, and Flora. Of Mabel, and Marcia, and Mildred, and May;
Debated the question of Helen, Honora, Clarissa, Camilla, and Phyllis and Fay. They thought of Marcella, Estelle, and Bella;
Considered Cecelia, Jeannette, and Elaine—Alicia, Adela, Annette, Arabella, And Ethel and Eunice, Hortense and Irene.
One liked Theodora, another Lenora; Some argued for Edith and some for Elaine, For Madeline, Adeline, Lily, and Lora; And then, after all, they decided on Jane.
—Illustrated Bits.

An Advantage All Around.

"Colonel," said the beautiful grass widow, "do you believe women ought to have the privilege of coming right out and proposing marriage?"
"Yes," the old warrior answered; "then, of course, it would no longer be considered discourteous for a man to refuse if he didn't feel like running the risk."—Chicago Record-Herald.

An Embryo Journalist.

"Your boy," said the editor of the Bowersville Clarion, "has the making of a real editor in him."
"Think so?" said the pleased father.
"Sure. Why, he's handed in half a dozen accounts of parties this season, and in every one of them he stated that 'a delightful time was had.'"
—Judge.

Removed the Cause.

Miss Ugliface—I could really never be contented and happy in the room you've given me.
Hotel Clerk—Oh, I'll fix that all right. (To the bell boy)—Go up and remove the mirror from the lady's room.—Detroit Free Press.

AND THEY DO IT, TOO.



"But, you see, I only want the teapot and the sugar basin. Don't you break these sets?"
"No, madam. We generally leave that to the servants of our customers."—Punch.

As Others See Us.

Myer—You may make some people believe that story, but I'm not such a fool as I look.
Gyer—Well, why don't you stop traveling around in disguise then?—Chicago Daily News.

An Awful Jolt.

He (bashfully)—May I—er—kiss your baby sister?
She (in disgust)—Oh, I suppose so—if you're too cowardly to tackle a girl nearer your own size.—Chicago Daily News.

Sure Enough.

Church—There is a waiter over in our place named Scales.
Gotham—Ah! Expects every one to tip him, I suppose?—Yonkers Statesman.

Rivalry.

New Yorker—They say New York is the most corrupt city in the union.
Chicago Man (contemptuously)—It doesn't compare with Chicago!—N. Y. Herald.

THE STRIKE COMMISSION.

After a Session of 51 Days the Hearing of Testimony Ended.

Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—After a sitting of exactly 51 days, the anthracite strike commission concluded the hearing of witnesses at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon and adjourned until next Monday when it will begin to hear the arguments of counsel representing the several sides. The arguments will take up five and a half days, the operators having been assigned three days and the miners the remainder of the time. Thursday's sessions were taken up in hearing the last witnesses presented by the miners in rebuttal. Much of it related to the alleged unequal distribution of mine cars, nearly a dozen witnesses testifying that they could load more cars than the companies furnished them.

In all the commission heard 566 witnesses, 244 union miners, 155 non-union miners and 150 by the operators, the stenographers taking down approximately 9,200 typewritten pages of testimony or 2,300,000 words.

HAWAIIAN ISSUE OF COIN.

Dollars and Half Dollars Will Be Redeemed in United States Silver.

Honolulu, Feb. 6.—(By Pacific Cable).—The First national bank has received by the steamer Ventura \$50,000 in United States silver coin, shipped by the San Francisco mint. The bank will begin at once to redeem the Hawaiian issue of one million dollars coined in 1883 during the reign of King Kalakaua. Dollars, half dollars and quarters will be redeemed but the dimes will be allowed to circulate. Eight hundred thousand dollars of the issue will be redeemed. Other installments of silver will be sent here by the United States government.

EX-SENATOR IN JAIL.

Arthur Brown Adjudged Guilty of Contempt of Court.

Salt Lake, Utah, Feb. 6.—Former United States Senator Arthur Brown Thursday was adjudged guilty of contempt of court in failing to comply with the court's order to pay Mrs. Brown temporary alimony of \$150 a month as a result of her suit for separate maintenance. Senator Brown was ordered committed to jail until the amount was paid. An appeal will be taken.

CARNATION LEAGUE.

A Move to Make a Permanent Organization of That Body.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Lewis C. Reynolds, of Dayton, O., the originator of the Carnation League of America, whose object is an annual memorial to the late President McKinley, is in the city in the interest of a permanent organization of that body. He had a talk with President Roosevelt Thursday and conferred with a number of the trustees of the movement.

LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

Effort to Secure Hands in Orchards and Vineyards in the Spring.

San Francisco, Feb. 7.—In order to second the efforts of California producers to secure hands in orchards and vineyards in the late spring months, and still further to encourage the incoming of farmers with families, the Southern Pacific Co. and connections will extend the sale of low-rate colonist tickets from all eastern points from April 30 to June 15. The Santa Fe system will also extend the colonist rate of \$33 to June 15.

ROOFING COLLAPSED.

One Man Was Crushed to Death and Two Others Injured.

Newcastle, Pa., Feb. 7.—By collapse of a portion of concrete roofing the seven-story building of the Lawrence Savings and Trust Co., under construction, Gilbert Achre was crushed to death and John McClure was seriously injured. Architect H. Gilvery, of New York, was cut and bruised. The falling roof carried the six floors beneath it to the basement, burying Achre under tons of concrete and steel.

President Vetoes a Bill.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The president Thursday vetoed the house bill providing for additional terms of court in the western judicial district of South Carolina. His veto message among other things stated that the attorney general had advised that much expense would be incurred and that the necessity for the measure was questioned.

A New Cattle Disease.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Feb. 6.—An unknown contagious disease is prevailing among plantations around Pine Bluff. It affects cattle in the back and causes death within 24 hours. One planter lost all his cattle and another lost thirty within a few days' time.

Annual Reception.

Washington, Feb. 6.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt gave their annual reception in honor of congress Thursday night. It was the third of the series of formal receptions of the season and over 1,900 guests were present.

Missionaries Start For Fez.

London, Feb. 6.—A correspondent at Tangier telegraphs that the escape of the Pretender Bu Hamara is confirmed. It is announced, says the correspondent, that the American missionaries will start for Fez Friday.

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COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE.
We are authorized to announce T. T. HEDGER as a candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, subject to the will of the Democratic Party. Primary May 9th, 1903.

To The Democrats of Bourbon County.

I earnestly request my friends to come to the polls on next Saturday, February 14th, 1903, and to see that their neighbors come out to vote. When this is done I have no fears of the result.

Very truly,
CHAS. E. BUTLER.

The Democratic party will not nominate a man for the presidency whose democracy must be certified to by the republican organs and leaders.

It appears that republican love for the negro always exists in the same locality wherein is located the "milk sickness"—always over in the next county.

"ELIJAH" DOWIE, the grand, triumphant, colossal and concatenated fake, has issued another bulletin to his beloved flock calling on the innocents to "dig up."

THERE are twenty-six Kentuckians in the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., but they seem to be either too preoccupied or unpatriotic to organize a "Kentucky Society."

THE Texas house of Representatives has refused to adopt a resolution providing for a negro mail carrier from the post-office to the Capitol. It's up to the President to close up the Capitol.

COMMISSIONER YERKES has decreed that makers of ice cream shall not be required to pay a Government license. The summer girl can now swallow her microbes without fear of outside interference.

THE invention of a machine to make the handling of paper money safe is all right in its way, but a machine to make the handling of paper money possible would come nearer to meeting a long-felt want with most of us.

THE Commercial Club at Harrodsburg and the Commercial Club at Winchester celebrated their accomplishment of the past year by giving their first annual banquets in their respective cities Thursday night.

A CONDEMNED murderer in Pennsylvania has asked that a telephone be placed in the death cell. After a week's unsuccessful effort to attract the attention of exchange he will find hanging somewhat of a relief.

At Chattanooga, John Riley, a negro preacher of some prominence, has denounced the false leadership of negroes and tells the members of his race to stick to the white man. Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, denied the story that Capt. Cox kissed a negro at Memphis.

THE Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., the author of "Leopard Spots," is out in an interview. He was asked what he thought of Roosevelt's action in the abolition of the Indiana postoffice and he replied that he thought that the President had made a serious mistake and one for which the people of the South would never forgive him.

Mr. Dixon said the President's action since and including the Booker Washington incident had aroused the better element in the entire South and that the most conservative Eastern men were bitter in their denunciation of a policy which placed the negro upon the equality of the white man. Political equality was bad enough, but even the President of the United States is unable, in spite of his most strenuous efforts to place the negro on the social scale with the white rulers of the earth, the

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A two-story Frame House, in good location. Apply at The News office.

Notice to the Public.

I am now prepared to do all kinds of Plumbing and Gas Fitting, Tapping Sewers, &c., in fact I can do anything in the Plumbing line. If you are contemplating fixing up a bath room or closet or stationary wash stand, get an estimate from me. I am located on Seventh street, between Main and High. Phone 276.

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THE BOURBON NEWS

SWIFT CHAMP, EDITOR AND OWNER.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

This Will Interest You.

Every article that is sold at the auction now going on at the old Christian church property is numbered. Two of these numbers will be placed in a sealed envelope before the sale and whoever is the lucky purchaser of these articles will get them absolutely free. The articles will be desirable in every respect and whoever gets them will be delighted. Only one person will know the numbers, and they will not be announced until after the sale.

J. T. HINTON.

APPOINTED.—Mr. George M. Dickey, was yesterday appointed postmaster at Cynthiana.

COMING.—Dr. Bowen, optician, will be at A. J. Winters & Co.'s on Thursday, Feb. 12th.

RENTED.—Mrs. Maria Bedford has rented the Ford property in this city, and will move to town.

HEMP WANTED.—See us before selling. E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

ARRESTED.—Carrie Collier and Bessie Smoot, colored, were fined \$20.75 each, in Judge Smith's court, Saturday, for running a "joint" in Ruckerville.

CHEAP.—Tomatoes 10 cents per can at Saloshin's.

ALMOST BUILT UP.—There are but three vacant lots on Convent Heights and there is not a colored person that owns property in this locality.

JAILED.—Eva Johnson, a colored woman, was arrested and lodged in jail yesterday by Officer Elgin. She is charged with stealing a diamond ring from Mrs. Lindsay Wright.

SMALL POX.—The small-pox scare in Georgetown is about over. The cases, except one, have all been mild, some not even having to take beds. In all there have been about ten cases.

DON'T MISS THE AUCTION.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon, I will sell at auction, at the old Christian Church, a lot of carpets, furniture, matings, wall papers, pictures, etc. Don't miss it.

J. T. HINTON.

THE LATE STUDENT.—An instructor in one of our schools, had this to say to one of the usually late students: "I see you are early to late; you used to be behind before, and now you are first at last."

PROPERTY PURCHASED.—H. H. Hancock and W. H. Anderson have purchased the Ed. Keller property, on Main and Eleventh streets, and will build two two-story brick houses thereon.

PROPERTY SOLD.—J. T. Williams sold his house on Convent Heights Saturday, to Miss Sarah McGinley, for \$775. Mr. Williams bought of Dr. Wash Fithian, 12 acres on Marshall street, in this city, for \$1,250.

FOR SALE.—A good Feed Sled. Apply to (14) E. J. McKIMY & SON.

AN INVALID.—Sam Neely, of this city, who is making his home at Manila, Philippine Islands, who was badly burned some time since, and who has lately been laid up with malarial fever, is convalescent and able to walk. He was reduced in weight to 105 pounds.

FLOUR.—Twenty-five pounds Best Indiana Flour 60c cash, at Adair's.

GONE WEST.—Sheriff W. W. Mitchell and Chief of Police, Geo. M. Hill, left Friday for Macon, Mo., with requisition papers for the arrest of B. F. Browning, wanted in this county for forgery. They will arrive with the prisoner to-day.

CORN.—Elephant Corn 3 cans for 25c cash at Adair's.

TUNNEL COMPLETED.—The cutting out of the L. and N. tunnel near Carlisle has been completed and the work accepted and paid for. The exact figures are not known, but the price paid by the railroad company was something like \$52,000. In all 94,000 cubic yards of dirt and stone was moved in the eighteen months work.

SEED OATS.—For Northern seed oats go to Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite the freight depot.

SITE SELECTED.—Messrs. Rasmussen, Myall and Stephens, the committee appointed by the City Council to secure a site for the proposed Carnegie Library, have selected the Keller lot, at the corner of Seventh and High Streets. The lot is 71x140 feet and the price to be paid is \$3,500. The council will accept the committee's recommendation.

AUCTION TO-DAY.—Don't miss the auction at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the old Christian Church—furniture, carpets, wall paper, matting, pictures—every article worth buying.

J. T. HINTON.

Election of Church Officers.

At a meeting of the congregation of the Christian church, on Sunday morning, an election of officers was held, which resulted in the selection of the following persons: Elders, Prof. M. G. Thompson, Russell Mann, W. O. Hinton and J. W. Hayden. Deacons, Thos. Henry Clay, George Wyatt, J. S. Wilson, J. T. Hinton, Bishop Hibler, H. C. Hutchcraft, Horace Miller, Frank Walker, Clifton Arnsperger, Thos. Helm Clay, J. J. McClintock, J. W. Davis, W. B. Allen, Robt. Goggin, J. H. Haggard, James W. Ferguson, Frank Isgrigg and Will Thomas.

Thos. Talbott, B. C. Ingels and Wilson Ingels were retired.

Found Dead.

Lloyd Sagaser, aged about 73 years, a farmer living near Elizabeth, was found dead in Frank Bedford's woods, about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was a brother of Noah Sagaser, of near Paris. He leaves a wife and family. Mr. Sagaser's death was caused from heart disease. He had been missing since last Wednesday.

ALWAYS ON HAND.—You can always find plenty of Gum Boots, Felt Boots, Overshoes, Rubbers, &c., at CLAY'S SHOE STORE.

Won Both Prizes.

At the Hinton auction it was announced that two numbers had been placed in a sealed envelope, and the purchasers of goods with corresponding numbers, would receive these goods free. Mrs. B. S. Parker, of Vine street, received both, one rug valued at \$2.50 and one chair valued at \$3.75. Who will get a prize this afternoon?

Novelties in Feminine Novelties.

The new styles in dress goods and ladies' furnishings are always topics of interest to the ladies. Mr. L. Frank and son, Mr. B. A. Frank, of the firm of Frank & Co., are in New York in search of novelties in every line the firm carries. Several very large shipments of their purchases of dress goods will soon arrive at their store in this city, and they will be able to interest and please the most fastidious. The firm cordially invites the ladies of Bourbon and adjoining counties to call and inspect their stock.

AUCTION.—As assignee of the estate of Mrs. George Rion, I will sell at auction, in the old Christian church building, commencing on to-morrow (Wednesday), at 10 o'clock sharp, the entire stock of Millinery belonging to said estate, consisting in part, of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Laces, Velvets, etc. Terms, cash.

DENIS DUNDON, Assignee.

A. T. FORSYTH, Auc.

STILL IN THE BUSINESS.—When you want your clothes cleaned, dyed or repaired, you will find me in business at my old stand—up stairs over Hinton & Morris' middle stable. I have no partner in my business.

CHAS. HUKILL.

Millinery Auction.

Commencing to-morrow, as assignee of Mrs. George Rion, I will sell at public auction the millinery stock belonging to her, consisting of trimmed and untrimmed hats, Bonnets, Laces, Ribbons, Laces, etc. Sale will commence promptly at 10 o'clock.

DENIS DUNDON, Assignee.

Gone East.

W. Ed. Tucker left Saturday morning for New York, where he will make his semi-annual purchase of dry goods, novelties, &c. This is the sixth time he has gone East to purchase goods for the well-known Tucker establishment. He will lay in an unusual large stock of the latest patterns in dress goods and will be most complete in all respects.

TOMATOES.—Three pounds Standard Tomatoes 10c cash at Adair's.

THE WEATHER.—Fair to-day; no material change in temperature.

SOCIALDOM.

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Tuesday afternoon—Miss Maria Tipton will entertain the "Married Ladies' Whist Club."

Thursday evening—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Hall will entertain with cards.

Friday afternoon—The Six Hand Euchre Club will meet with Miss Emma Scott, on Duncan avenue.

Friday evening—"When We Were 21," at the Grand Opera House.

—Miss Lizzette Dickson will entertain the "As You Like It" club, Tuesday, Feb. 17th, in honor of her guests, Misses Taylor, of Frankfort, and Lassing, Blair and Peck, of Cincinnati. Only members of the club are expected to be present.

—The following invitation has been issued: "Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Hall, at home, Thursday evening, February 12th, eight o'clock. Cards."

—The following invitation has been issued: "The Junior Class of Bourbon College requests the pleasure of your company on the evening of February thirteenth, nineteen hundred and three, at eight-thirty o'clock."

PERSONAL MENTION

—Miss Mary Best Tarr is visiting friends in Cynthiana.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson spent Saturday in Cincinnati.

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—Mr. and Mrs. George Straw left Saturday for a few days stay in Ohio.

—Hiram Duley, of Flemingsburg, was in the city Friday, and gave us a call.

—Miss Mary E. Cole, of Georgetown, visited friends in this city, last week.

—Miss Ollie Fant, of Flemingsburg, visited Mrs. George Stuart, last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Straw left Saturday for a few days stay in Ohio.

—Miss Pattie Letton, of Richmond, has been the guest of Mrs. A. C. Adair.

—Miss Nancy Clay left yesterday for a visit to Miss Emily Thomas, in Frankfort.

—Miss Mabel Moneypenny, of Ohio, will be the guest of Miss Nancy Clay, next week.

—Miss Leslie Turney has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Zeke Arnold, at Newport.

—The Young Men's Dancing Club, of this city, will give a dance to-night at the Fordham Hotel.

—Miss Crenner Lail, of Lair's Station, is visiting Mrs. Raymond Bramlette, on Convent Heights.

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—Mr. and Mrs. June Payne, of this county, were guests of T. M. Purnell and family, at Millersburg, Sunday.

—Mr. S. M. Worthington, of Maysville, visited his daughter, Mrs. Luncford Talbott, in this city, last week.

—Misses Taylor, of Frankfort, and Lassing, of Covington, will arrive Friday to be the guests of Miss Lizzette Dickson.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Larkin, of this county, were guests of Mrs. Lou and Miss Anna Conway, at Millersburg, Friday.

—Misses Taylor, of Frankfort, and Lassing, of Covington, will arrive Friday to be the guests of Miss Lizzette Dickson.

—Mrs. W. R. Dickson, of North Middletown, left yesterday for New Orleans, where she will visit friends during Mardi Gras.

—Miss Thompson, of Millersburg Female College, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. James Stewart, near this city.

—Miss Annie Hutchcraft returned home yesterday from a two months trip in Western Kentucky, representing the Malta-Vita Co.

—Dr. Silas Evans has returned to his home in this city from a hunt in Louisiana, where his party killed nine deer and 400 birds.

—Mrs. Samuel Dudley and Mrs. J. Cumber, of Flemingsburg, spent a few hours in Paris, Friday, en-route to Frankfort, for a visit.

—Major Henry Turney returned to his home in this city from St. Joseph's Hospital, at Lexington, Saturday, somewhat improved in health.

—Miss Ashton Wilson, daughter of ex-Governor Wilson, of Charleston, W. Va., will arrive this week to visit Miss Margaret Butler, on Vine street.

—Mr. James R. McCann, who is traveling with "A Texas Steer" Co., arrived in this city, Saturday, to be with his mother, Mrs. Jas. McCann, who is quite ill.

—Miss Fannie Simonton, of Versailles, Miss Bullock of Lexington, and Miss Bessie Talbott, a returned missionary from China, are the guests of Mrs. Dr. E. H. Rutherford, on Duncan avenue.

—Miss Ashton Wilson, of Virginia, will arrive Friday to be the guest of Miss Margaret Butler. Miss Wilson is the daughter of Ex-Gov. Wilson and has been a much-admired guest of Louisville for several weeks.

—The Maysville Bulletin says: Miss Mary Fountain Rummans, who has been visiting in this county, after spending several days with her cousin, Mrs. Jesse Worthington, of near Maysville, has returned to her home at Paris.

—Mrs. C. P. Barnes, formerly Miss Sallie Short, of this city, will leave Louisville, this week, for New York, whence she will sail for Europe for a stay of six months. She will chaperone a party of girls and they expect to visit the Orient.

—Sunday's Lexington Leader, says: "Prof. J. Albertine Sharon, formerly assistant in English and Mathematics at State College, at present Superintendent of Paris schools, was in the city Saturday, shaking hands with friends. Prof. Sharon is an excellent teacher and has made many friends in Paris."

DEATHS.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Holloway, sister of the late Mrs. Brutus J. Clay, Sr., is dead at Lexington. Her remains will be taken to Richmond for burial to-day.

BIRTHS.

—To the wife of George Mappin, a son.

—At Kiserston, to the wife of Wm. Tucker, a son.

SHOES FOR ELDERLY MEN.—Wide toes, roomy and comfortable from the start. Come in and see what we can offer you for \$2.00 to \$4.00.

CLAY'S SHOE STORE.

HEMP WANTED.—We will pay the highest cash market price for hemp.

C. S. BRENT & BRO.

CLEANING AND PRESSING.—We do Cleaning and Pressing and Dyeing, and should you have any old clothes you want to sell, we can sell them for you.

HUKILL TAILORING CO.

SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF—

.....LAND.....

By virtue of execution No. 539 directed to me which issued from the Clerk's office of the Bourbon Circuit Court, in favor of Chenault and O'Rear against Mrs. E. J. Gallagher, I will on

MONDAY MARCH 2, 1903,

between the hours of twelve o'clock and one o'clock, p. m. at the Court house door in Paris, Bourbon County, Kentucky, expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following property, (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's debt, interest and costs), to-wit:

A certain lot of land lying in Bourbon county, Kentucky, on the waters of Boone creek, known as the Levy Blacksmith property and bounded as follows:

"Beginning at a stone on the South side of the old dirt road and corner to I. T. and W. B. Crouch and J. W. Boardman; thence N. 77, W. 131-2 poles to corner on a rock in Rockbridge Creek corner with said Crouch and A. P. Bryan and Henry Thomson, thence S. 58, E. 16 2-10 poles to a point in Plum Lick Creek, corner with said Boardman, thence 15 E 12 poles to the beginning, containing 2 acres and 1 rod of the land and being the same land conveyed to Mrs. E. J. Gallagher by J. W. Boardman and his wife Annie Boardman, as of record in Bourbon County Clerk's office, deed book 86 page 76, said sale made subject to mortgage held by said Boardman—Debt, interest and costs on day of sale about \$214.16 levied upon as the property of Mrs. E. J. Gallagher.

TERMS.—Sale will be made on a credit of 3 months, purchaser to execute bond with approved security, to bear 6 per cent. interest from day of sale till paid.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of February, 1903.

W. W. MITCHELL,

(10-17-24)

AUCTION!

As Assignee of the estate of Mrs. George Rion, I will sell at auction, in the old Christian Church building, commencing on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 11, '03,

at 10 o'clock sharp, the entire stock of Millinery, belonging to said estate, consisting in part, of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Laces, Velvets, etc.

Terms:—Cash.

DENIS DUNDON, ASSIGNEE.
A. T. FORSYTH, Auctioneer.

Notice to Creditors!

All persons having claims against the estate of W. H. Fisher, deceased, will please present the same without delay properly proven as required by law at the law office of Neville C. Fisher, in Paris, Ky., and all persons indebted to said estate will please call at said office and make prompt settlement.

EMMA S. FISHER,

Executrix.

FOR SALE.

If not sold privately before, I will offer for sale publicly, on premises, at 2 o'clock, on

Saturday, February 21, 1903, the property adjoining the railroad in Claysville, known as the Green Jackson Store. This property is a store-room and dwelling and is in good repair.

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE.

MRS. JACOB SCHWARTZ.
MILLARD KENNEY, Auc.

PUBLIC RENTING

—OF—

GRASS LAND!

I will rent publicly in front of the Court House site on

Saturday, February 21,

at 12 o'clock noon, one hundred and twenty-five acres of grass land lying on the Paris & Cynthiana turnpike, adjoining the lands of Col. E. F. Clay and Mrs. Mollie Grimes.

Possession given March 1st.
MRS. SALLIE MOORE.
A. T. FORSYTH, Auc. (td)

Spring Goods.

WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES,
WHITE AND COLORED
MERCERIZED FABRICS.
PERCALES, GINGHAMS, &c.
Now Ready for Inspection.

W. ED. TUCKER,

The G. Tucker Stand.

529-531 MAIN STREET.

PHONE 297

AUCTION!

OF ALL KINDS OF

Furniture, Carpets, Wall
Papers, Matings, Pictures
And Almost Everything in the House
Furnishing Like.

Every article in this sale is new, never having been used in any way.

Some are old patterns and some slightly shop worn, but each and every article is worth buying.

Now is your time to buy at your own price.

This is an opportunity that does not occur often and you will be wise to take advantage of it.

Sale commences at 2 o'clock,

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27

and will be held in the Christian Church property.

J. T. HINTON,

PARIS, KY.

AMBULANCE.

Undertaking in all its branches, Embalming scientifically attended to.

Merchant Tailoring Opening.

Mr. Rowland of the L. E. HAYS & CO. TAILORING CO., of Cincinnati, will be with us on

FEBRUARY 12 AND 13,

with their Spring Line, consisting of the latest styles.

SUITS from \$15 to \$35.

PANTS from \$4 to \$10.

Everybody is cordially invited to inspect this line.

Price & Co.,
CLOTHIERS.

The Bourbon News.

SWIFT CHAMP, Publisher.

PARIS, KENTUCKY.

PRAYER.

The hearts of men, how strange, have they strayed!
The thoughts of men are wearied finding out
The deeper thoughts of God, who, undismayed,
Moves on through all their maze of fear and doubt,
And works His own sublime and changeless plans—
Nor asks His wisdom to be led by man's.
And since there is no light within so bright
As that which shines around the faintest throne
Where cherubim are gathered day and night,
And God speaks often kindly to His own,
Then let us boldly come by night or day,
And kneeling very low, O, let us pray.

The wants of man are manifold; they grow
With growth of His large nature, unsupplied;
His needs are bounded not by bread or low
Life-luxuries to gratify his pride;
But something cries for beauty from within;
And something weeps for sorrow for his sin.

So there is craving for the things that lie
Beyond the senses—for the spirit's own;
And there is hunger and the yearning cry
For love that leaves us not at last alone;
We would enlarge our boundaries—obey
The higher calling—therefore, "Let us pray."
—Ella Beardsley, in Boston Watchman.

The KIDNAPPED MILLIONAIRES

A Tale of Wall Street and the Tropics

By FREDERICK U. ADAMS

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CHAPTER VI.

MYSTERY ON MYSTERY.

The hundreds of columns of space devoted by the New York morning papers to the great event could have been condensed into a few paragraphs, so far as any true explanation of the mystery was concerned.

Six men, whose combined wealth was variously estimated at from \$800,000,000 to \$1,250,000,000, had disappeared suddenly and completely as if the earth had opened and swallowed them. Four of them—Messrs. Pence, Kent, Haven and Morton—had been in the latter's office about four o'clock on Monday afternoon. Mr. Morton's secretary was sure they held no conference at this time, and said they soon left the building. He thought they left together, and supposed they went away in carriages or in an automobile. It was not uncommon for men distinguished in the world of affairs to meet at Mr. Morton's office. Mr. Morton had arranged for an important conference with some railroad men at his office for the following morning at 11 o'clock. The correspondence files showed that fact conclusively. Mr. Morton had telephoned to his residence that he would not be home to dinner. This was not unusual. That was absolutely all that was known of Mr. Morton's movements or plans.

John M. Rockwell was in his office from 11 o'clock until about two in the afternoon. He transacted business as usual and had planned to start on a trip to Chicago the following day. His private car had been ordered to the Pennsylvania depot. Andrus Carmody was to accompany him on this business journey. Both of these gentlemen had left word at their residences that they would not be home to dinner. Hiram Haven did not leave his office until nearly four o'clock. This was about his usual hour, and there was nothing in his correspondence or instructions to indicate that he would fail to be on hand at the regular hour on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Kent's failure to arrive at his office nearly drove his brokers distracted. They admitted that he had left them certain commissions to fill on Tuesday morning, but the nature of them or how they were executed they declined to make public. He left his office about four o'clock Monday afternoon, but did not say where he was going.

For the first time in 40 years Simon Pence failed to come home. Only on rare occasions did he remain away from a home dinner. He had stated that a business engagement would keep him in the city during the evening, but that he would be back at a reasonable hour. The police officials were notified at midnight of his failure to return to his residence. Not fully appreciating the significance of this event they made no search for the missing man, and elapsed it among the cases of this kind so familiar to the hardened members of the night police force of the metropolis.

This completes all that was known concerning the mystery.

That the panic was beyond control was apparent long before the Stock Exchange opened Wednesday morning. The governors met and solemnly discussed the advisability of closing the Stock Exchange until some light was thrown on the mystery. They dreaded to take this step, but the situation was unprecedented. In ordinary emergencies the banks, trust companies, life insurance companies and other representatives of capital had been able to meet and adopt a plan to protect the market

and thus avert a panic disastrous to all interests. But the great heads of the money power had vanished. The small lights who remained were in a state of physical as well as financial panic. Each imagined himself the next victim. Special policemen guarded all the offices, and every visitor was scrutinized as a possible kidnapper. Hundreds of extra police officers were thrown into the financial district. All suspicious characters were arrested. Crowds were not permitted to assemble and a condition approaching martial law prevailed.

The governors of the Stock Exchange finally decided to open the session as usual, reserving the power to suspend business if conditions warranted such procedure. The market opened from two to five points below the close of the previous day. Several failures were announced. Street & Rogers bought about 300,000 shares of stock in the first hour and then stopped. With their support withdrawn the panic increased. There were rumors that Street & Rogers were heavily "long" and on the point of suspending. This the firm emphatically denied, and stated that they could stand a further drop of 25 points. On a call for margins they promptly furnished them.

With the panic at its height the governors met to take action. A motion was made to suspend business on the exchange. As a member arose to discuss this proposition, a messenger entered and handed the president a letter. It read as follows:

Mr. M. L. Morton, New York City:
Dear Sir: This is to inform you that I am alive and well. I shall be obliged to remain away from the city for a short time, possibly several weeks. You and my relatives and friends need not have the slightest fear for the safe return of myself and the gentlemen who are keeping me company. I remain, very truly yours,
PALMER J. MORTON.
May 2.

The letter was in Mr. Morton's handwriting and had been positively identified as genuine by his private secretary and by the oldest clerks in his office. These facts were hurriedly explained to the president of the board of governors, who adjourned the meeting and sounded the gong for attention on the floor of the exchange. At that moment pandemonium reigned. A score of trading houses had failed, and others were on the point of suspension. Banks were calling loans. Money was quoted at 200 per cent. on call loans, with gilt-edged stock as security. Sugar was hovering around par, a drop of more than 60 points in less than 48 hours. The nerve-racked brokers expected the announcement of yet more disastrous news, and listened stolidly as the chairman waved his hand for quiet, cleared his voice, and began his reading. No one heard more than the close of the first sentence: "I am alive and well." The joyous voice of the gray-bearded old chairman told them that the message was from Palmer J. Morton. What a shout went up! It was echoed by the vast mob which defied the police and swarmed into Broad and Wall streets. The enthusiastic clerks and customers cheered from every window.

The panic was ended. Prices moved violently upward. In half an hour the face of the market was changed. In the whirl of speculative joy some stocks passed the high figures which had been reached at the opening on Monday morning. But while the agony of suspense was passed, and it was known that the missing men were safe, the case was yet shrouded in a mystery deep as ever. At the close of the day the market stood on a plane which averaged about ten points below the level established before the leaders of finance and speculation had vanished. It was noticed that Street & Rogers were persistent buyers from the moment the first news of the Morton letter was made public. Their sales were so small as to show that they represented but profit taking for regular customers, and not the immense holdings of "long" stock which had been absorbed during the height of the panic. Their profits were roughly estimated at \$35,000,000.

The welcome letter was addressed to Mr. M. L. Morton, a brother of the great financier. It was in a plain white envelope and written on ordinary letter paper, with a single fold. The postmark on the letter was indistinct, but when put under a glass the inscription clearly read, "Provincetown, Mass." The letter had been mailed at nine o'clock at night, and left the Cape Cod town on a late train. With slow connections the letter reached New York in time for the 10:45 a. m. delivery.

Here was a clue worth following. A special train with the best detective talent in New York, was prepared and dispatched to Provincetown. But the developments which speedily followed, deepened the mystery and puzzled the cool-headed chief of the detective force. Between four and five o'clock the same afternoon letters were received by relatives of John M. Rockwell and Andrus Carmody. These letters were at once placed in the hands of the detectives and not made public. This was in compliance with instructions which had been issued by the chief. The Rockwell letter was postmarked "Springfield, Massachusetts." The Carmody letter was mailed from a Harlem district in New York city.

Early the following morning—Thursday—a letter from Albany, N. Y., was received from R. J. Kent, and another was mailed to the Simon Pence residence from Brooklyn. Mr. Hiram Haven was as yet unaccounted for, but late in the afternoon word was received from him from Philadelphia. These letters were of a purport similar to the Morton letter. They were written on several kinds of paper, and there was no

uniformity in envelopes. The Pence letter was written with a lead pencil. The detectives descended on the peaceful citizens of Provincetown; which sand-girt village of Cape Cod found itself of a sudden possessed of the center of the stage. Probably no town in America affords less opportunities for secretiveness than Provincetown. There is but one street in the village—a narrow, winding lane which follows the sinuosity of the harbor.

But the detectives were not dismayed. There were hundreds of fishing boats at their deep-sea toil, and their skippers were interviewed. So were the trainmen and conductors. The latter were positive that no man answering Mr. Morton's description had traveled over the single road which runs up Cape Cod peninsula. Two detectives were left at Provincetown to continue the search for clues, and the others received telegraphic instructions to proceed to Springfield, Mass., and Albany, N. Y.

On Friday the New York papers contained brief accounts of the disappearance of one L. Sylvester Vincent, a Chicago gentleman, who followed the profession of promoting enterprises and inventions. Mr. Vincent had been stopping at the Broadway Central hotel. He was described as a gentleman of impressive bearing and rare charms of conversation. Mr. Vincent had registered in the hotel two weeks before the time when his absence was noted. His hotel bill was due, and repeated efforts to present this little matter to Mr. Vincent's attention disclosed the fact that he had not been in his rooms since Monday night. An examination of his effects revealed a much frayed evening suit, a small collection of unwashed linen, the prospectus of a plan for a ship canal connecting Pittsburg with Lake Erie, and a pocket dictionary.

In the light of much greater events the fate of L. Sylvester Vincent made so feeble a flicker that it was unnoticed by the great reading public.

CHAPTER VII.

MISS HELEN CARMODY.

"Kindly send my card to Mr. Van Horne." The office boy bowed to a lady heavily veiled, accepted a card on which was printed, "Helen Carmody," and disappeared for a moment into an inner room. In a mo-



HE USHERED THE VISITOR INTO THE PRIVATE OFFICE.

ment he reappeared, opened the connecting door and ushered the visitor into Mr. Van Horne's private office.

As she entered the Van Horne office Miss Carmody paused in evident surprise, but with no sign of confusion, as Mr. William Chalmers bowed and advanced to meet her.

"I am pleased to receive you, and hope that I may be of some service to you, Miss Carmody," said Mr. Chalmers as he motioned his visitor to a seat on a divan. "My name is Chalmers; I am Mr. Van Horne's managing editor."

"I had expected to meet Mr. Van Horne," said Miss Carmody. "There was disappointment in the tone of her voice."

"Mr. Van Horne is in Europe," said Mr. Chalmers as he took his place at his desk, and brushed aside the obtrusive butt of a half-smoked cigar. "He went on some important business and no announcement was made of his departure. Mr. Van Horne left for Europe two weeks ago. He is now somewhere in Russia."

"That is very unfortunate," said Miss Carmody. The tears glistened in her eyes, and she held them back only by a too-evident exercise of will power.

"Miss Carmody," said Chalmers in his rapid but cordial manner, "if your desire to see Mr. Van Horne arises from any mission in which the Record is concerned, I am fully authorized to take his place. In his absence there is practically no limit to my authority."

The eyes of the young lady brightened. She looked at the handsome face of the young managing editor with a mingled expression of hope and doubt.

"I am afraid you cannot do that which I had intended to ask," Miss Carmody said.

"I can do anything except suspend the publication of the paper," replied Chalmers with prompt fervor. "I should be tempted to even do that, if I imagined it could possibly relieve the distress which you are suffering."

The pale face of the young lady flushed at this declaration, which was uttered with a sincerity which left no doubt as to the honesty of Mr. Van Horne's representative.

"That is the last request in the world I should make," she replied, after a moment's pause, in which the color left her cheeks. "Mr. Chalmers," she continued, in a voice tremulous in its decision, "I am going to submit something to you as

if you were Mr. Van Horne. I have known Mr. Van Horne for many years. He has been a visitor at my father's house, and when father disappeared I thought of asking him to aid me. My mother is dead, and the whole responsibility falls on me as his only child. The house is frequented by vulgar detectives, and they have driven me nearly frantic. One would think from the questions they ask, and the things they do, that I was suspected of being a party to my father's disappearance. And our well-meaning friends are almost as bad. They smother me with their sympathy. I am not looking for sympathy. I wish to find my dear father, and I have not the slightest confidence in the detectives or in the methods which they have adopted."

She paused for a moment as if to consider how she should frame the request she had to make. Mr. Chalmers was deeply attentive.

"I am a great believer in the possibilities of such a newspaper as the New York Record," she said. "I think that one good newspaper man is worth a dozen detectives. I do not believe the detectives will ever locate the men who have abducted my father—for it certainly is a case of abduction. I wish to place a sum of money in the keeping of the New York Record, a part of it to be offered by it as a public reward for the return of the men who have been kidnapped, and the other portion to be used under your personal direction for the same purpose."

Mr. Chalmers smiled, and reaching into his desk produced the proof of the copy of a headline which was yet wet with the printer's ink.

"In a small way I had anticipated your plan," he said, as he handed her the proof. It read as follows: ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD!!

The New York Record offers this sum for the Rescue of the Missing Millionaires and the Capture of the Abductors!

Certified Check for \$100,000 deposited by The Record in First National Bank.

Miss Carmody's face was radiant with pleasure.

"But you should not do that," said she. "It is not your place to devote this large sum of money for the benefit of those in whom you have but the general interest of all law-abiding citizens. As you know, my father is very wealthy. In my own name and right I have a large amount of money which I can obtain at any time. I am sure," she said with a smile, "that papa will return me any money I spend in trying to find him. You must let me advance this money. I wish to offer through the Record, \$250,000 reward, and in addition I wish you to employ in this search as large a number of your staff as you can spare, and have it done entirely at my expense. They will find that I am a liberal employer. Of course I shall not publicly appear in the matter in any way. I have already contributed to the general fund which has been subscribed by the relatives of the missing men, but I have so little faith in the authorities and the private detectives that I wish to take the step I have indicated. You must not refuse me. You know what you promised to do," and Miss Carmody blushed in a way which made her radiantly charming.

[To Be Continued.]

DREAMS THAT DIFFERED.

Angelina's Idea of a Humble Beginning Was a Little Too Rich for Poor Edwin.

They were seated in one of those sheltered nooks for which Brighton is famous. He had just proposed and been accepted, and in blissful accents they were discussing their future prospects, relates London Tit-Bits.

"You know I am not a rich man, darling," said Edwin.

"Ah, I care for you, not for wealth," answered Angelina rapturously.

"And we shall have to begin our married life very humbly," he continued.

"What care I how humbly?" was her heroic response. "A small cottage in some secluded spot, with clematis climbing over the door, and a rose-clad summer-house, in which we may sit and talk—your Angelina for nothing more."

"But, darling, I am afraid it won't run to a cottage. Two rooms and kitchen, perhaps, somewhere near the office, where rents are cheap, and—"

A cloud came over the scene. Angelina is still free.

Aroused His Curiosity.

The agitated young man began: "Mr. Brockman, you may have noticed that I have been a frequent caller at your house for the last year or more."

"Yes," replied the busy merchant. "I have seen you there now and then, I remember."

"You will not be surprised, therefore, when I tell you that I want to marry your daughter."

"But—"

"Let me anticipate any objections you might have. Mr. Brockman, I am of good family. I am not dissipated. I have a good business, and am abundantly able to support a wife. All I ask is—"

"But, young man—"

"I can bring testimonials to prove all I say. I have never wanted any other girl, and—"

"And never shall want any other girl. From the first it has been a case of—"

"Look here, young man, let me get a word. Which one of my four daughters is it you want?" Chicago Tribune.

SISTERS OF CHARITY

RELY ON PE-RU-NA TO FIGHT

Catarrh, Coughs, Colds and Grip.



SISTER BEATRIX.

A letter recently received by Dr. Hartman from Sister Beatrix, 410 W. 30th street, New York, reads as follows:

Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:
Dear Sir:—"I cannot say too much in praise of Peruna. Eight bottles of it cured me of catarrh of the lungs of four years standing, and I would not have been without it for anything. It helped several Sisters of coughs, and colds and I have yet to find one case of catarrh that it does not cure."
SISTER BEATRIX.

Interesting Letters from Catholic institutions.

In every country of the civilized world the Sisters of Charity are known.

Not only do they minister to the spiritual and intellectual needs of the charges committed to their care, but they also minister to their bodily needs. With so many children to take care of and to protect from climate and disease, these wise and prudent sisters have found Peruna a never-failing safeguard.

Dr. Hartman receives many letters from Catholic Sisters from all over the United States. A recommendation recently received from a Catholic institution in Detroit, Mich., reads as follows:

Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:
Dear Sir:—"The young girl who used the Peruna was suffering from laryngitis, and loss of voice. The result of the treatment was most satisfactory. She found great relief, and after further use of the medicine we hope to be able to say she is entirely cured."
—Sisters of Charity.

This young girl was under the care of the Sisters of Charity and used Peruna for catarrh of the throat, with good results as the above letter testifies.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address, Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Constipation Cured.

Those who have used salts, castor oil, and the many home and manufactured purgatives, know that in such treatment there is no possibility of a cure from constipation. These remedies are at most physics and do absolutely no good. In fact they frequently provoke piles, fistula, female disorders and many cases of appendicitis are traceable to their use. Soon the ordinary doses of these physics fail to have any effect upon the bowels.

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MUSTANG LINIMENT

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NEWSPAPER LAWS.

Any person who takes the paper regularly from the post office, whether directed to his name or whether he is a subscriber or not, is responsible for the pay. The courts have decided that, refusing to take money from the post office, or removing the paper from the post office, or removing the paper from the post office, or removing the paper from the post office, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

ANOTHER HERO.

Let me tell you of a hero who has never marched away. With gay flags above him flying, to be fearless in the fray. He has never heard the rattle of the rifles or the roar of the havoc-dealing cannon as the shells go screaming o'er. He is not a gallant soldier, and the world knows not his name. But, unlauded, unapplauded, he's a hero, just the same.

Ah, the turkey was delicious that they piled upon his plate. And his sisters and his brothers chattered gaily as they ate. With a thoughtful face he gently pushed his white meat all aside. And he nibbled at the gizzard and a wing, unsatisfied. Then he slipped his bunch of raisins in his pocket on the sly. And was sorry that he couldn't hide away his piece of pie.

At the corner by the alley, where the wind howled all the day, sat a pale boy at a window while his mother sewed away. And he held a bunch of raisins and a wishbone that was bare. Tasting still the tender white meat that had clung so lately there. I have told you of my hero; men may never give him fame, but I think he has a tablet up in heaven, just the same.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

ON THE ISLAND.

By S. Rhett Roman.

THE water rippled in small waves, broke into a narrow line of foam, ran up a short way on the wide grey beach, then slid back into the ocean, to begin again its monotonous back-and-forth movement until, the tide turning, the wavelets would swell into breakers and thunder and roll on the hard sand.

A young woman, who seemed more suited to Trouville or Bar Harbor than to this wild, solitary spot, sat on the upturned keel of a boat, shipwrecked and buried in the shingle, just beyond the reach of the tides, half a century ago, and whose dimensions could not be guessed at, by the small portion still visible above the shifting, heavy white sand, and looked seaward musingly.

Marjorie Stanford pushed back the straw hat which had been shading her face, and let the setting sun shine full upon her, and the sea breeze blow at will among the light strands of curling bronze-brown hair escaped from the comb which held their rich masses in place on the shapely head, held as by a deer does when startled. Marjorie by all the rights of laws divine and indestructible, should have had some one by her side. Some one in casual-line attire, having a sufficient amount of good looks, youth and brains, to correspond with those which a bountiful Providence had so liberally vouchsafed her. But she was alone. There was not a sign of life anywhere near. The long beach ran out on one side bare and solitary, curving off into a dim line and melting into the tints of sky and water. On the other, it ended abruptly where an arm of the sea separated the island from one closer in shore, on which cottages shone like white specks in the distance, and the walls of the old fort were barely visible.

Looking around at the immensity of the ocean, and the complete loneliness of the scene, Marjorie laughed ruefully, and thought what her numerous friends elsewhere would say could they but see her sitting on the rotten hull of an old wreck in this desolate place, with only the sea and a few sea gulls for company.

For Marjorie Stanford had been a bright and particular star in the firmament of fashion, under her aunt's, Mrs. Will Stanford's, guidance for various seasons, and had tasted the sweets of a varied and brilliant life in big cities and capitals, both at home and abroad.

Here had been a great social success, and she had reigned royally over that small circle which rules the world and its rulers.

By reason of her very remarkable beauty, and that charm which American women possess par excellence, Marjorie had grown accustomed to the fascinations of life led by the women of fashion of our day, and the ceaseless adulation which surrounded her. The contrast was sharp with her present existence.

A white-breasted sea gull, curious to ascertain what this motionless figure so out of keeping with the serenity of the landscape, the sea beating its everlasting tattoo on the lonely shore, could be, circled down and rested on the wing of the billows, while gazing at Marjorie in fearless astonishment.

"Oh, you dear, free thing! How good it must be to soar off when the whim strikes you. To select your own resting place; not to be forced to count with accident, duty, pride, nor any other silly sentiment, but to —"

The seabird, as if in answer, rose up with a sweep of its pinions, and giving a shrill cry, called its mate. From a far distance the bird winged its way shoreward, and meeting, they both settled down on the gently heaving waters of the channel, as it swept out seaward.

Marjorie laughed softly, but there was mingled regret and longing in her voice.

"You silly things! so, you are hampered by ties and shackles? You were not satisfied with the glorious

right to live, each your own lives as you pleased, giving account to none, and responsible only to yourselves for what you pleased to do? You must needs fasten your own existence to that of another, and forever forswear the right to order your own destiny, live your life on your own lines, and for your own gratification?"

The sun slanting from the west must have sent a message to the sea gulls, for rising suddenly, and shaking the salt brine from their long pinions, they went swiftly seaward until they were swallowed up in the blues and greys of sky and water.

"Not being human, they may be good companions," Marjorie mused. "He may be so absorbed in the pleasing occupation of catching fish, that she may be relieved of his company most of the time, and she may find much pleasure in looking after the children. Perhaps they are a newly-married couple, they seem so fond of each other. He evidently can't do without her—for the time being. Very shortly, on changers, unless they are quite different from us. Come, Turk, let us have a stroll and see if we can be good company for each other."

A big Newfoundland, who had been lying on the sand, got up and majestically paced by her side, while they strolled down the beach, and the evening light faded.

When it was quite dark they turned into a road, built high and firm with beaten shells, which ran towards a clump of wind-swept trees quite a distance back from the coast line of the island.

They sheltered, or rather surrounded a large, rambling, weather-beaten house, evidently inhabited, for lights streamed out from the open doors and windows, into the mild spring air. On its deep veranda sat an elderly gentleman in an armchair, clearly a confirmed invalid, whose thin, clear-cut features bore just enough resemblance to the contour of Marjorie's face, to proclaim him her father.

But it was a querulous and an evil face, one from which all kindness—if there had ever been any—and intellectuality, were gone, extinguished and worn out by constant suffering and years of ill-health, which peered out at Marjorie.

"Late, as usual. Your society manners, I presume. You forgot I was waiting and it is past tea time," he said, with snarling emphasis, as she came up the steps.

"Late! Oh, no. There's quite half an hour yet before tea. I was walking on the beach with Turk," she answered, pleasantly.

Throwing her hat on the hall table, Marjorie went indoors to see about those ever-recurring, small duties, the prelude of the last dull meal of each day, cheerless occupations which brought neither pleasure nor a restful peace to those on the island.

What had brought Marjorie there? A curious, persistent thought, that whether he wished it or not, she, his daughter, should tend the querulous recluse, growing more morose yearly, who had sent her off, first to school, then to her aunt, seeming glad to be rid of a responsibility which was solely his, after the death of her mother, long years ago.

There were letters on the table. She read:

"Dear Marjorie—When am I to expect you back? It is simply absurd, your burying yourself alive in this barbaric way. Nor does William want you. I know him of old. He was always selfish and self-centered. Never gave a thought to anybody but himself. He is accustomed to Ann Dawson's care of him, and she knows his whims and crochets, and they both would be better pleased without you, I feel convinced."

"As for your sacrificing yourself, and shutting up yourself on that dismal island just to see that William's milk gruel is all right, and to let him sneer and growl at you, it is sheer Quixotic nonsense! You will grow thin and pale and old, and William will not even be grateful. I tell you I know him, child. We were brought up together, and a leopard does not change his spots, remember."

"The danger is, he may get used to seeing you around the house and refuse to consent to your leaving later on. He is as capricious as he is despot. As it is, he doesn't care just now whether you leave him or not, and I know Ann Dawson would like you out of her way. So for heaven's sake pack your trunks and join me at once. Before going abroad we can spend a week or two in Canada. I know some one who is inconsolable at your sudden flight just at present. But you are well acquainted with 'notre monde,' and you know how many consolers crop up when the sufferer owns a few millions. Already Jeannie Carston thinks she is in your shoes. This century is too busy and overcrowded with play and pleasure as well as work to let people think much and long over any one thing or person. Write or wire me when to expect you. Now, for the heaven's sake, Marjorie, be sensible and come at once. Lovingly,

"CARRIE STANFORD."

"We will do our shopping in Paris," Marjorie put it down with a smile and a sigh and took up another, whose strong, firm handwriting disclosed its masculine authorship. It read:

"You can have no conception of how much you are missed. If you had you would care at least a trifle for those you left so abruptly to shut yourself up on that horrible island. Your aunt has described it to me. If you are determined to remain there, I will run down to see you. Unless you positively object you may see me at any time should

I learn that you have made up your mind to remain there. I am not writing what I think or feel, only what I propose to do. Faithfully,

"ANDREW PERRINGTON."

A sharp voice calling, broke in on Marjorie's musing, as she slowly folded the letter and slipped it in its envelope.

And while sitting at table with her father, and listening to his querulous complaints, and usual abuse of his manager, who was "a d—m fool and knew nothing about Sea Island," so he declared, although the continuous successful results obtained from the fields stretching far back inland seemed to prove the contrary, Marjorie's thoughts were occupied with several queer conundrums. Why was she so averse to seeing Andrew Perrington? Of course he was a charming fellow. But Fannie Carston was welcome to the succession if she desired it—and the owner of those several millions.

Then again, being of better service, and quite undesired, why did she permit in cutting herself off from the enjoyable life she was accustomed to, and lead that of an anchorite, on this solitary sea girt island? Looking critically at her father, he seemed to be pathetically worn, and even in his grim snarling humor there was a suffering which appealed to her powerfully.

Marjorie was discovering strange and unsuspected depths to her nature, one she had hitherto thought quite absorbed in her idle, pleasurable life, in cottons and chiffons.

Marjorie stopped to caress Turk, and glancing up found William Stanford's eyes fixed on her with a look she had not seen there before.

Marjorie's smile back had in it the charm so few could resist, and although her father rose and went slowly out of the room without speaking, she felt as if the horrible solitude surrounding her was broken.

"My poor darling, you must go without me this year," she wrote her aunt. "It may be that I am not wanted here, but I can make my life more tolerable, even against his will, and I will try the venture. The sea view is gorgeous. Turk and I luxuriate in the surf, and I am making quite a number of friends—among the sea gulls. Remember me when you are in the Paris shops. Elise has my measurements, you remember. The day may come when I will emerge from these solitudes and fly back to the dearest aunt in the world. Fondly,

"MARJORIE."

And Marjorie also answered the other letter.

"No, I cannot possibly go back to my dear, joyous life of pleasure and freedom, nor must you come here. Later you will be glad I am unkind and unappreciative to-day. It is quite solitary, but the sea and the winds are my friends, and the waves sing grand anthems, and I am always busy. Don't try to remember and you will soon forget. Yours, with many pleasant recollections,

"MARJORIE STANFORD."

The days and the weeks passed. Then months and years.

Marjorie's father, old and decrepit but not feeble, clings to her with a tenacious, exacting affection which demands her presence day and night. Beautiful, but graver, with a spiritualized expression not hers in the days of her social triumphs, Marjorie's many cares and occupations make hers a busy life indeed. Her moments of recreation are those when, slipping away, she goes slowly along the beach with Turk for a companion, when the tide is low, and her friends, the sea gulls, circle over the water or dip in the waves.

The post brought announcement cards on Tiffany paper. The marriage of Miss Fannie Carston to Mr. Andrew Bryon Perrington.

A slow flush spread over Marjorie's face as she read.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

Wouldn't Vouch for Him.

Some of the lads who get into a business life early can be relied upon for good common sense. The head of a big grocery store in Chicago has been greatly pleased with this common sense attribute in one of the boys he employs. He is a bright, honest lad, quick and reliable, and when a second boy was needed they sent for "Sam." Couldn't he get them a boy? They wanted a boy as good as he was, and he must know of one. After some thought he finally agreed to send them one, and the next day the boy arrived and Sam was called to identify him. "Do you know this boy, Sam?" asked the employer. "Yes," answered Sam: "I know him." "And do you know him to be a good, honest boy?" "I have played with him all my life, and I have always thought he was." "But will you vouch for him?" persisted the employer. "No," answered Sam indignantly; "I won't vouch for anyone. I wouldn't vouch for my own brother. How do I know what temptations you are going to put before him?"—Golden Days.

He Was Up Early.

Not all visitors to the country are as ignorant of the farmer's surroundings as the farmers sometimes suppose. Browning's Magazine gives this instance:

"Wal," said Farmer Wilkins to his city boarder, who was up early and looking around, "ben out to hear the haycock crow. I s'pose?" and he winked at his hired man.

"No," replied the city boarder, "I've been out tying a knot in a cord of wood."

Farmer Wilkins scowled at the hired man, and wanted to know why he was not getting to work at milking those cows.

THE PROFESSOR'S DISCOVERY.

All His Learning Went for Naught When the Supposed Antique Was Opened.

It took the professor a lifetime to master the intricacies of the old Egyptian hieroglyphics. One day he discovered a roll of papyrus, containing in one place mysterious marks too faint to be deciphered, says the New York Sun.

It took the professor a week to find out that the papyrus was in a double layer with the mysterious marks in between.

It took the professor another week to separate the layers of the papyrus without tearing it.

It took the professor practically no time at all to read the writing, which ran as follows: "My name is Blanche Terwilliger. I work in McNamee's factory of antiquities at Oshkosh, Mich. I am a brunette, 18 years old, and generally considered handsome. I could make a trusting wife to the right man and write this note in the hope that it will fall into the hands of such a man and so lead to further correspondence."

It took the professor two hours to yield the oblongs which he felt the situation demanded. Did the professor marry the girl? Thunder, no! The professor was already married. The idea!

The K. C. S. Almanac for 1903.

The Kansas City Southern Railway's Almanac for 1903 is now ready for distribution. Farmers, stock-raisers, fruit-growers, truck-gardeners, manufacturers, merchants and others seeking a new field of action or a new home at the very lowest prices, can obtain reliable information concerning southwestern Missouri, the Cherokee and Choctaw Nations in the Indian Territory, western Arkansas, eastern Texas, northwestern Louisiana and the Coast country, and of the business opportunities offered therein. Write for a copy of the K. C. S. Almanac and address, S. G. Warner, C. P. A., K. C. S. Railway, Kansas City, Mo.

Wise Provision.

Proof is again afforded of the beneficent wisdom of nature. A professor in the University of Michigan has discovered that the hearing of girls is more acute than that of boys. This greater sensitivity doubtless exists that the faintest whisper of the fateful question may not escape the listening ear.—Youth's Companion.

California—Low Rates.

Beginning February 15th, the M., K. & T. Ry. will sell Colonist Tickets to California at very low rates, viz: St. Louis, \$30.00; Kansas City, \$25.00. Tourist Car through to San Francisco leaves St. Louis each Tuesday at 8:32 p. m. Ask any Katy Agent or address James Barker, Gen'l Pass. Agent, S. M. & T. Ry., 202 Wainwright Bldg., St. Louis.

Won by Waiting.

She—Father's salary is to be doubled the first of the year. He—Good! At last we can afford to get married.—Chicago Daily News.

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Was Believed.

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Never be liberal beyond your reputation; it excites suspicion.—Indianapolis News.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

Every man is a volume, if you know how to read him.—Channing.

Putnam Fadeless Dyes color more goods, brighter colors, with less work than others. You'll be reasonably happy if you stop worrying because you are not.—Puck.

MARKET REPORT.

Cincinnati, Feb. 7.		
CAT'S-LE—Common	3 25	@ 4 00
Butcher steers	4 65	@ 4 75
CALVES—Extra	8 00	@ 8 25
HOGS—Ch. packers	6 95	@ 7 00
Mixed packers	6 80	@ 6 90
SHEEP—Extra	4 35	@ 4 50
LAMBS—Extra	5 90	@ 6 00
FLOUR—Spring pat.	3 90	@ 4 20
WHEAT—No. 2 red.		@ 80 1/2
No. 3 red		@ 78
CORN—No. 2 mixed.		@ 48
OATS—No. 2 mixed.		@ 38 1/2
RYE—No. 2		@ 58
HAY—Ch. timothy		@ 17 00
PORK—Clear cut		@ 18 40
LARD—Steam		@ 9 10
BUTTER—Ch. dairy	13	@ 15
Choice creamery		@ 27
APPLES—Fancy	3 25	@ 3 75
POTATOES—Per bbl	1 50	@ 1 75
TObacco—New	3 25	@ 10 75
Old	7 50	@ 16 25

Chicago.		
FLOUR—Winter pat.	3 60	@ 3 75
WHEAT—No. 2 red.		@ 75 1/2
CORN—No. 2 mixed.		@ 43 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.		@ 34 1/2
RYE—No. 2		@ 49 1/2
PORK—Mess	16 75	@ 16 87 1/2
LARD—Steam	9 42 1/2	@ 9 45

New York.		
FLOUR—Win. str's	3 50	@ 3 65
WHEAT—No. 2 red.		@ 82 1/2
CORN—No. 2 mixed.		@ 62
OATS—No. 2 white		@ 42 1/2
RYE—Western		@ 60 1/2
PORK—Mess	18 75	@ 19 00
LARD—Steam		@ 10 00

Baltimore.		
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	80	@ 80 1/2
Southern—Sample	70	@ 73
CORN—No. 2 mixed.	53 1/2	@ 54
OATS—No. 2 white		@ 42
CATTLE—Butchers	5 10	@ 5 25
HOGS—Western	7 00	@ 7 25

Louisville.		
WHEAT—No. 2 red.		@ 70
CORN—No. 2 mixed.		@ 59
OATS—No. 2 mixed.		@ 39
PORK—Mess		@ 16 50
LARD—Steam		@ 10 00

Indianapolis.		
WHEAT—No. 2 red.		@ 76
CORN—No. 2 mixed.		@ 44 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed.		@ 35 1/2

That Cry == "Oh, My Back!"

The little missionary, Doan's Kidney Pills, "free trial," carries ease, rest, comfort. Most people need kidney help; they who choose Doan's get it—help that lasts.

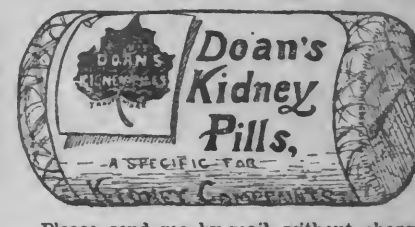
DEERFIELD, IND.—"When I sent for the trial box of Doan's Kidney Pills I had been afflicted for two months with pain in my back so bad that I could not get from the house to the barn. It was called rheumatism. I could get no relief from the doctors. I began to improve on taking the sample and got two boxes at our druggist's, and, although 68 years of age, I am almost a new man. I was troubled a good deal with my water—had to get up four and five times a night. That trouble is over with and once more I can rest the night through. My backache is all gone, and I thank you ever so much for the wonderful medicine, Doan's Kidney Pills."

—Jno. H. Huber, President Ridgeway, Indiana, State Bank.

BELDING, MICH., Jan. 14, 1903.—"I received trial box of Doan's Kidney Pills. They did me lots of good. I can now go to bed and lie on my right side—the pain there is all gone, also the stomach distress and belching of gas is all stopped, with the use of two boxes."—Mrs. E. S. Bess, R. F. D. No. 2, Belding, Mich.

Aching backs are eased. Hip, back, and loin pains overcome. Swelling of the limbs and dropsy signs vanish. They correct urine with brick dust sediment, high colored, pain in passing, dribbling, frequency, bed wetting. Doan's Kidney Pills remove calculi and gravel. Relieve heart palpitation, sleeplessness, headache, nervousness, dizziness.

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BEAUTY AND PURITY

Ancient and Modern Ideas on the Subject. Time and Disease the Effacing Agents of Beauty. What Has Science Done to Restore the Lily and the Rose?

Socrates called beauty a short-lived tyranny, Plato a privilege of nature, Theocritus a delightful prejudice, Theophrastus a silk cheat, Carneades a solitary kingdom, Homer a glorious gift of nature, Ovid a favor of the gods. Aristotle affirmed that beauty was better than all the letters of recommendation in the world, and yet none of these distinguished authorities has left us even a hint how beauty is to be perpetuated, or the ravages of age and disease defied. Time soon blends the lily and the rose into the pallor of age, disease dots the fair face with creases and wrinkles and crimson spots, the Roman nose with unsightly flushes, mth, if not rust, corrupts the glory of eyes, teeth, and lips yet beautiful by defying the complexion, and fills the sensitive soul with agony unspeakable.

It is such the unhappy condition of one afflicted with slight skin blemishes, who must be the feelings of those who, when torturing humors have for years run riot, covering the skin with scales and sores, and charging the blood with poisonous elements to become a part of the system until death? It is vain to attempt to portray such suffering. Death in many cases might be considered a blessing. The blood and fluids seem to be impregnated with a fiery element which, when discharged through the pores upon the surface of the body, inflames and burns until, in his efforts to relieve the patient tears the skin with his nails, and not until the blood flows does sufficient relief come to cause him to desist.

Thus do complexion defects merge into torturing disease, and piqued vanity give place to real suffering. A little wart on the nose or cheek grows to the all-devouring lupus, a patch of tetter on the palm of the hand or on the limbs suddenly envelops the body in its fiery embrace, a bruise on the leg expands into a gnawing ulcer, which reaches out its fangs to the sufferer's heart in every paroxysm of pain, a small kernel in the neck multiplies into a dozen, which eat away the vitality, great pearl-like scales grow from little rash-like inflammations in such abundance as to pass credulity; and so on may we depict the sufferings to which poor human nature is subject, all of which involve great mental distress because of personal disfigurements.

If there were not another external disease known, eczema alone would be a sufficient infliction on mankind. It pervades all classes, and descends imperially through generations. While some are constantly enveloped in it, others have it confined to small patches in the ears, on the scalp, on the breast, on the palms of the hands, on the limbs, etc., but everywhere its distinctive feature is a small watery blister, which discharges an acrid fluid, causing heat, inflammation, and intense itching. Ring-worm, tetter, scalded head, dandruff, belong to this scaly and itching order of diseases. Eczema, our modern leprosy, with its mother-of-pearl scale, situated on a reddened base, which bleeds upon the removal of the scale, is to be dreaded and avoided, as of old. Impetigo, barber's itch, erysipelas, and a score of minor disorders make up in part the catalogue of external diseases of the skin. Thus far we have made no allusion to those afflictions which are manifestly impurities of the blood, viz.: swelling of the glands of the throat, ulcers on the neck and limbs, tumors, abscesses, and mercurial poisons, with loss of hair, because the whole list can be comprehended in the one word scrofula.

It is in the treatment of torturing, disfiguring humors and affections of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair, that the Cuticura remedies have achieved their greatest success. Original in composition, scientifically compounded, absolutely pure, unchangeable in any climate, always ready, and agreeable to the most delicate and sensitive, they present to young and old the most successful curatives of modern times. This will be considered strong language by those acquainted with the character and obstinacy of blood and skin humors but it is justified by innumerable successes where all the remedies and methods in vogue have failed to cure, and, in many cases, to relieve, even.

The Cuticura treatment is at once agreeable, speedy, economical, and comprehensive. Bathe the affected parts freely with hot water and Cuticura soap, to cleanse the surface of crusts and scales, and soften the thickened cuticle. Dry, without hard rubbing, and apply Cuticura Ointment

to allay itching, irritation, and inflammation, and soothe and heal, and, lastly, take Cuticura Resolvent, to cool and cleanse the blood. This treatment affords instant relief, permits rest and sleep in the severest forms of eczema and other itching, burning, and scaly humors, and points to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure of torturing, disfiguring humors, eczemas, rashes, and inflammations, from infancy to age, when all other remedies and the best physicians fail. The remedies constituting the Cuticura system will repay an individual scrutiny of their remarkable properties.

Cuticura Soap contains in a modified form the medicinal properties of Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure and purest and sweetest of emollients, combined with the most delicate and refreshing of flower odors. It purifies and invigorates the pores of the skin, and imparts activity to the glands, and, thus, thus furnishing an outlet for unwholesome matter, which if retained would cause pimples, blackheads, rashes, oily, itchy skin, and other complexional disfigurements, as well as scalp affections and irritations, falling hair, and baby rashes. Its gentle and continuous action on the natural lubricators of the skin keeps the latter transparent, soft, flexible, and healthy. Hence its constant use, assisted by an occasional use of Cuticura Ointment, realizes the fairest complexion, the softest, whitest hands, and the most luxuriant, glossy hair within the domain of the most advanced scientific knowledge to supply.

CHURCH CHIMES.

—Charlton Alexander united with the Christian church on Sunday by confession and his wife placed her letter in the church. Harvey Hibler also united by letter.

—Rev. Lloyd Darsie left yesterday for Chicago. His family also left for Cleveland, where they will visit for several weeks.

—Rev. Jenkins, of Lexington, will preach at the Christian church, in this city, Sunday week.

—The Cynthia Log Cabin, says: "In a recent conversation concerning the Christian church, of Paris, it was stated Mrs. Laura Sims, mother of Mr. J. K. Sims, of this country, and Mrs. Knapp, of Chattanooga, Tenn., are the only two living out of a class of sixteen young girls who were the first to be immersed in the old Christian church at Paris, in 1840, under Rev. John A. Gano. The old church was recently sold after the dedication of the elegant new structure in that city."

—Rev. Dr. Molloy's subject in a sermon preached at the Presbyterian church in Maysville, Sunday night, was "Beware of Dogs."

—Miss Bessie Talbot, a missionary from China, addressed the Missionary Society of the Second Presbyterian church, at the residence of Mrs. R. J. Neely, on Dunbar avenue, yesterday afternoon.

—Rev. G. W. Argabrite preached his farewell sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning, and left yesterday for Georgetown, his future home.

A union meeting was held at the Baptist church Sunday night, in which the Baptist, First and Second Presbyterian, and the Methodist churches participated. Prayers were offered for the suppression of crime.

READY FOR BUSINESS.—We have received our Spring line of Suits and Trousers. We make all our work here at home by first-class Union tailors. We make suits from \$18 to \$35. All \$35 suits are lined with silk. Pants at \$5 to \$10. We make strictly up-to-date clothes and guarantee a perfect fit and the very best workmanship. Remember, we do all our work at home. Come and see our goods and get prices.

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AMUSEMENTS.

WHEN WE WERE TWENTY-ONE.

The theatre-going public of this city have a genuine treat in store in the play called "When We Were Twenty-one." This play has won sincere admiration of every one who has had the good fortune to see it. It tells a story so pure and so true to human life and the tragic moments that come to the life of so many, that it goes straight home to every heart. There is no rant, no effort made to draw sympathy by any known stage trick, for it speaks direct to the heart. It resembles no other play, and one seeing it forgets that he is in a theatre, but thinks he is the spectator of the real life it represents. It is full of dramatic situations, but they are so natural and so possible that the whole is the sequence of things that happen every day. At no moment is there a flagging of interest.

At the Grand on next Friday night. Seats at Borland's Wednesday Prices—\$1, 75, 50 and 25 cents.

A PENNSYLVANIA physician has discovered that people who eat onions are immune from smallpox. More's the pity.

SENATOR HANNA should have included 'possum, 'taters and an occasional chitlin' supper in his bill for the benefit of the former slaves.

New Version of Mary.

Mary had a little lamb; that time has passed away. No lamb could follow up the gait that Mary goes to-day. For now she glides on steel-shod wheels in skirts too short by half; no lambkin shares her icy flight but you can see her calf. But who is there that can complain or cry in woe "Alas!" so long as Mary's calf's all right the lamb can go to grass. So all the men delight to gaze, their joy is not a sham; for while the other critter's out they have no use for lamb.

PEPPER WHISKY.—You can buy Pepper Whiskey at 90 cents per bottle, while it lasts at Saloshin & Co's. If you use whiskey at your house this is your chance. (tf)

A VERDICT.—The jury in the case of F. L. Mulfinger's admx. vs. the L. & N. R. R., at Richmond, Ky., last Thursday, brought in a verdict awarding damages against the railroad in the sum of \$8,000. Mulfinger was an extra brakeman running on freight trains between Paris and Lexington and was killed in the yards by falling or being knocked from a car in October 1901. Mulfinger formerly lived in Paris.

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF KENTUCKY:—I beg to announce to you my candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Agriculture, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary to be held May 9. The short time intervening before the election renders it impossible for me to cover all of the State. I desire to state that I have been for years and am now a practical and active farmer, and that all my interests are dependent upon the success of the farmers. I am in thorough sympathy with all matters pertaining to the advancement of the interests of the agricultural classes of the State, and, of course, in our Commonwealth it is well known that the success of all other lines of business are dependent upon the welfare of the farmers. If nominated I pledge my best efforts to use the Department of Agriculture in the interest of the farmers and the general welfare of the Commonwealth.

I have at all times been an active and consistent Democrat. I am profoundly grateful to the Democrats of Scott county, who have twice honored me with the Sheriff's office without opposition in the ranks of my own party. I have always been found in the thickest of the fight for Democratic principles, both State and National. I have served four years as a member of the State Central Democratic Committee, representing the Seventh Congressional District, and feel that I can point with pride to the success of the Democratic party in my district under my direction. In these times of great combinations of capital and trusts, no one feels more keenly the direct results of their unjust oppression than the farmers of the country, and I pledge myself to use the office to resist oppression of all trusts and to stand fighting for the interest of the agriculturalists. If you nominate me, I pledge all of my energy and strength to the success of the party in November, when we must meet the enemy, the Republican party. Having had many years experience in business and farming, you will not be placing the office in the hands of an inexperienced man, and I pledge the same care to the interests of State affairs that I have devoted to my personal affairs. The Department of Agriculture was founded for the interests of the farmers, and in my humble opinion ought to be managed by a practical and real farmer. My county, Scott, has not had a candidate for a State office for 25 years, and being a strong and reliable Democratic county, I feel that I can appeal with confidence to my fellow Democrats all over the State.

I ask for your hearty support and encouragement, and whether successful or not in my ambition to be your Commissioner of Agriculture, I pledge to all times my hearty support to our common cause, Democracy, the only refuge for an honest and patriotic people.

Very sincerely,
T. T. HEDGER.

STOCK AND CROP.

—At Georgetown some few lambs have already been bought at 50 and 5½ cents per lb., for May and June delivery.

—Talbot Bros., have been offered \$6,500 for Wainamoon, by a Cincinnati party. They held him at \$5,000.

—A farmer who had planted the numerous kinds of seeds sent him by the congressman of his district from the Washington City seed supply said he raised so many new kind of weeds from the last batch of seeds that enough college professors came to study them to pay for a new barn, and he only charged them reasonable board.

—The Somerset Journal reports fat hogs selling in that county at 5 1-2c.

H. C. Allen, of Georgetown, has purchased 16 head of Polled Angus cattle from the Maple Grove herd of Vincennes township, Ind. They cost him \$1,534.

Mr. Watts, of Madison county, gives it as his opinion that seed corn soaked in gas coal tar for several days before it is planted will save it from the cut-worm pest. It will have to be dropped by hand.

J. N. Ross, of Madison, sold 79 acres of Madison county land to Clay Blake-man for \$4,408.

—It would be profitable for farmers to plant fruit trees such as apples, peaches, pears, cherries, along their fence rows. It would beautify the farm and make useless ground productive. Begin the coming spring and it won't be long before you'll make money out of the investment.

—Hibler Bros., sold to Kenney Nichols, 35 cattle at \$6 per head; to Sid Ardery 26 1,100-pound cattle at \$4.40; to Jas. E. Clay 8 sows and 56 pigs, for \$188; to Walker Buckner, 35 cattle shoats, at \$5.75.

—Mrs. Sallie Bishop, of Jacksonville, sold to Hibler Bros., 28 cattle shoats, at 5 1-2 cents.

—W. E. Stillwell, of Escondida, sold to J. T. Tate, of Shawhan, a Shorthorn bull calf for \$55.

George Mosely has sold his fine farm near Duckers Station, Woodford county, containing 310 acres to J. D. Smith for \$24,250.

—The Hessian Fly is making its appearance in Southern Indiana and Western Kentucky. The Warsaw Independent fears that many fields will be destroyed, as much of the wheat in that part of the state is effected. It suggests that farmers owning the wheat should pasture it closely. In this way the fly is devoured and exposed to the cold weather, which destroys it.

—Tobacco from nineteen acres of Woodford county was sold on Louisville brakes for \$4,080.78. Producers of "the weed" should put this fragrant and soothing fact in their pipes and smoke it.

Confederate Notes.

—John Stockwell Harmon, aged 63 years, died of pneumonia at his home near Balm, Fleming county. He was widely known. Harmon was a member of Gen. John Morgan's cavalry during the Civil War.

—The applications of John T. Nesbitt, formerly of Co. C, Ninth Ky. Cavalry, and Thos. Cummings, Co. F, Second Ky. Infantry, for admission to the Confederate Home have been accepted and they will leave for Pewee Valley in a few days.

BY A NEW PROCESS.—We sponge and press goods for Ladies' Tailor Suits by a new process and make buttons to match. We sell goods for ladies' suits. We can save you money enough on your goods to buy your trimmings to make it.

HUKILL TAILORING CO.

TO-MORROW.—Don't forget the auction sale of millinery, at the old Christian Church building to-morrow, commencing at 10 o'clock.

Change In Time of Trains On Frankfort and Cincinnati Railway.

Effective January 26th, 1903, F. & C. Train No. 84, heretofore leaving Frankfort at 3:30 p. m. will leave Frankfort at 2 p. m.

This train will then connect at Georgetown, Ky., with Q. & C. Train No. 6, which arrives at Cincinnati 6:15 p. m., and will also connect at Paris, Ky., with Kentucky Central train No. 6, arriving at Cincinnati at 6 p. m.

D. W. LINDSEY, JR.,
G. P. A.

A YOUNG man who lived down in Tenn. To a charming young lassie said
When
Your eyes of clear blue
I am happy clear through,
For the one I'm in love with so Then.

SEED OATS.—Just received a car-load of choice Northern seed oats.

Geo. W. STUART.

My agency insures against fire, wind and storm—best old reliable prompt paying companies—non-union.

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L. & N. Rates.

Lexington and return, one fare for the round trip, February 12, 13 and 14. Return limit, February 16.

Maysville, Ky., and return at one-fare for the round trip, Feb. 20 and 21, return limit Feb. 23, account Tobacco Fair. Special train will leave Maysville at 5:30 p. m., Feb. 21, for Paris, connecting with train South of Paris. No. 6 will stop at all stations South of Paris to let off passengers holding these tickets, Feb. 21.

Round-trip Winter Tourist rates on sale daily until April 30, 1903, to points in South, South-east and South-west, from North Carolina and Florida to Havana, Cuba, Louisiana, Texas, Mexico. We will be glad to furnish any information as to rates, stop-over privileges, etc., to any of these points.

Home-seekers' tickets on sale on the following dates: Nov. 18, Dec. 2 and 16, Jan. 6 and 20, Feb. 3 and 17, April 7 and 21, 1903, to points in Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory, Arkansas and other Western points. Very low rates are given. Return limit 21 days. Make your application three or four days before hand to secure lowest rate. Any information cheerfully given.

Mardi Gras at New Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala., and Pensacola, Fla. One fare for round-trip. Tickets sold Feb. 17 to 22, inclusive. Return limit, Feb. 28, with provision for extension to Mar. 14, 1903. Excellent dining car and sleeping car service.

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H. RION, T. A.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

At a meeting of the Democratic Committee for Bourbon County on Monday, December 1, 1902, it was ordered that a Primary Election be held at the various voting precincts in Bourbon County, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 4 p. m., on

Saturday, February 14, 1903, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Clerk of the Bourbon Circuit Court and Representative to the Lower House of the next General Assembly. Said primary will be held under the laws governing Primary Elections in the State of Kentucky.

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2-year-old Race Record 2:19 1-2.

At 9 years has five Trotters Better than 2:18.

Sire of the three fastest 2-year-olds of 1902.
Sire of Katherine A. 2:14, winner of the fastest race ever trotted by a 2-year-old.
Sire of Hilgar, 2:15 3/4, winner of the fastest three-heat race ever trotted by a 2-year-old.

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\$100 TO INSURE.

SCARLET WILKES, 2:22 1/2,

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BARON WILKES, JR.,

BROWN, 15-2 1/2, (3) RECORD 2:23 3/4, TRIAL 2:19.
By BARON WILKES, 2:18.

1st Dam—Marinette (dam Queen Regent 2:29 1/2, Regal Nelson 2:18), by Director 2:17.
2nd Dam—(Pantalette, (Escober 2:13 1/2, Epaulat 2:19, sire of Georgina 2:07 1/2, Brunel sire of Lucile 2:07); Burglar 2:24 1/2, sire of Stella Burglar 2:24 1/2, and dam Bird Eye 2:14 1/2), by Princeps.
3rd Dam—Florence, (dam of Juror 2:24 1/2, Hebron 2:30), Volunteer.
4th Dam—Nell, (dam of Bateman 2:22), by Hambletonian 10.
5th Dam—Willing mare, (dam 3 to 2-40 or better), by son of American Eclipse.

BARON WILKES, JR., was worked by Jim Dodge last Fall and will be trained by him again. He says he is a trotter sure, and is bound to sire speed.

\$35.00 TO INSURE.

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A CHANGE.—I have recently employed another barber and put in another chair, making four in all. You can always get a turn at my shop. Service the best.
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TOM CRAWFORD.

ENGRAVING.—I am taking orders for all kinds of engraving—calling cards, announcements, wedding invitations, etc. Prices and samples furnished on application. Phone 124.

Good Eating.

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Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Haggard & Speaks has been mutually dissolved. The business will be run in the future by J. H. Haggard. All persons owing the firm will please call and settle. All parties having claims against the firm will please present same to Mr. Haggard for settlement.
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HAGGARD & SPEAKS.

A Happy New Year!

This is a happy New Year with us, and we feel that we can make others happy. We believe in "Live and Let Live," so we announce that we have purchased N. H. Marscoffsky's stock of several thousand dollars' worth of First-Class Clothing, Shoes and Hats and High-Grade Furnishing Goods that he had bought for this Winter's business. We bought the stock at 70 cents on the dollar, and we will let it go at 75 cents on the dollar. We have to do this to get rid of it in a few days. We invite everybody to come soon and get the first pick. Come with your wagon, come with your survey, and come with your buggy. You will certainly load them up after you see the prices on the goods. Below we quote a few prices. We will also put in some of our own stock that we are anxious to close out. Merchants are also invited that need to refill their stock after the holidays. We feel that it will certainly pay.

Men's \$1 Jeans Pants only 60c a pair.	25 doz. \$1.00 Top Shirts at 48c.	Snag Proof Rolled Age Rubber Boots at \$3.00.
\$1.25 Jeans Pants, 75c.	20 doz. \$1.25 Top Shirts at 48c.	We will also put the knife in our Dry Goods and Ready Made Wear for Ladies.
\$1.50 Jeans Pants (no better made) \$1.00.	20 doz. White Laundered Shirts, sold at \$1.25, now 75c.	Calicoes, 4c yd.
\$2.00 Corduroy Pants, \$1.25.	50 doz. Men's 35c Underwear go at 19c.	Brown Muslin, 4c yd.
\$2.25 Corduroy Pants, \$1.50.	50 doz. 50c Fleece Lined Underwear at 35c.	Bleached Muslin, 5c yd.
\$3.00 Corduroy Pants, \$2.00.	Men's 25c Sox, 2 pairs for 25c.	Ardway Cloth 5c yd.
\$1.50 Cassimere Pants, \$1.00.	100 Sox, 5c pair.	10c Outing at 7 1/2c.
\$2.00 Cassimere Pants, \$1.50.	50c Neckties at 38c.	10c Flannellette at 7 1/2c.
\$1.50 Cassimere Pants, \$1.00.	35c Neckties at 19c.	Dress Goods, sold at 35c, now 19c.
All-wool Suits, sold at \$6.00, now \$2.50.	15c and 20c Collars at 10c.	Dress Goods, sold at 50c, now 29c.
\$7.50 Suits, at \$3.50.	Men's \$1.25 Working Shoes at \$1.	Dress Goods, sold at 75c, now 49c.
\$10.00 Suits now \$5.00.	High Cut Shoes sold at \$2.50, now \$1.75.	We have 15 Jackets which sold at 5.90, now \$3.50.
\$12.50 Suits now \$7.50.	\$3.50 Shoes at \$2.50.	Jackets, sold at \$5.50, now \$4.98.
Overcoats, sold at \$7.50, now \$4.00.	Our line of Shoes is very large, so it will be best for you to come in and price them.	Jackets, sold at \$10.00, now \$5.90.
\$8.50 Overcoats at \$5.50.	Best brand of Rubber Boots, \$2.50.	\$12.50 Monte Carlos, now \$7.
\$12.50 Overcoats at \$7.50.		Misses' \$3.00 Jackets, \$1.50.
\$2.00 Knee Suits at \$1.48.		Misses' \$3.50 Jackets, \$1.75.
\$3.00 Knee Suits at \$2.00.		\$4.00 Jackets at \$2.50.
25 doz. 75c Top Shirts at 38c.		

We found among Mr. Marscoffsky's stock more Hats than we expected, and besides that we handle an extensive line ourselves, so we will make extraordinary low prices on them. Come and see them and you will pay one whether you need one or not.

Come and get your Buggy Robes from us, also Blankets and Leggings of all kinds, and we will save you money on them.

We thank you for your patronage in the past, and remain, yours to furnish you a dollar's worth of goods for 75 cents.

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